Weather
Overcast weather. Showers and perhaps thunder at intervals. The maximum temperature yesterday was 72.9 and the minimum 61.1, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 87.8 and 65.6.

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JAPAN ASKED FOR PEACE BY NEW ZABAIKAL GOVERNMENT

Liquidation Of Semenoff Crusade Also Sought By Republic

AWAITING REPLY

Legislative Powers Will Be Given Assembly Of Buffer State

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Vladivostok, May 20.—It is rumored that many of the soldiers of General Kappel's army have gone over to the Partisans who are negotiating with the Japanese with a view to discontinuing hostilities.

It is reported that General Semenoff's troops have shot 160 prisoners at a station in Dauria.

A telegram from Verchne Udinsk states that the Zabaikal Government, replying to General Oi's proclamation, has suggested the opening of peace negotiations for a final and speedy establishment of friendly relations, a cessation of hostilities and the liquidation of the Semenoff adventure. It is expected that a favorable reply will be received from the Japanese in a few days.

ASSEMBLY TO HAVE LEGISLATIVE POWERS

The first committee meeting of members of unions and of all democratic parties, regarding the formation of a new temporary elective Assembly, has resulted in a decision that the Assembly shall have legislative powers and the right to call general elections.

Mr. Stevens, head of the American Railway Mission is trying to arrange a meeting at Pogranitchraya between the Chinese-Eastern and Ussuri Railway Administrations with regard to transhipment of passengers and cars.

London, May 17.—In the House of Commons today replying to Major Harry Barnes and Lieutenant-Colonel L'Estrange Malone, Mr. Bonar Law stated that in October, 1919, when it was feared that the Russian Soviet Government would attack the Russian Border States, Poland asked British assistance in military equipment.

BRITISH SURPLUS ARMY STORES USED BY POLAND

Owing to our commitments elsewhere the Government were unable to give financial assistance but offered to supply a certain quantity of surplus stores, if Poland undertook the cost of moving them and all transport arrangements.

The offer was accepted and consequently the material became the property of the Polish Government which was now shipping part of it. Otherwise no assistance had been or is being given

DEATH SUMMONS LEVI P. MORTON

Former Vice-President Of U.S. And Noted Banker Dies At The Age Of 96

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, May 17.—The death is announced of Mr. Levi Parsons Morton, ex-Vice-President of the United States. The late Mr. Morton was Vice-President from 1889 to 1893.

He was a prominent New York banker and head of the Morton Trust Company.

In 1881 he went to France as United States Minister where he held office until 1885.

Mr. Morton was born in Shoreham, Vermont and was 96 years of age. He was a son of the Rev. Daniel Oliver Morton and a descendant of George Morton, financial agent in London of the Mayflower Pilgrims who arrived in Plymouth, Mass. in 1623 on the ship, Ann.

He founded the banking houses of L. P. Morton and Company, Morton Bliss and Company, Morton Rose and Company, Morton, Chaplin and Company, London and Morton Trust Company, and was at one time president of the Morton Trust Company, and the Fifth Avenue Trust Company. He was a director of the Equitable Life Assurance Company of the United States, Home Insurance Company, Guaranty Trust Company, Newport Trust Company and was the U.S. Honorable Commissioner to the Paris Exposition in 1878. He served as a member of the 46th Congress, was Minister to France from 1881 to 1885 and after his term as vice-president, which expired in 1893, became Governor of New York for one term.

Red Cross Was To Use $15,000,000 Delousing Siberia, Says Officer

Two Shiploads Of Supplies Now Here For Distribution Free Among Three Hundred Hospitals In China; Task May Not End For Six Months

Fifteen millions of dollars were to have been spent in delousing Siberia if the American Red Cross had remained in that country. This was revealed yesterday by Major E. H. Charette who has come to Shanghai to supervise the distribution of two shiploads of medical supplies, valued at half a million dollars, which have been sent here and are to be given to some 300 hospitals in China.

"Lice may yet defeat Socialism," said Lenin.

"He is right," says Major Charette.

The Red Cross officer was captured by the Bolshevists at Karsnoyask and held prisoner for some time. While he was in captivity the typhus was raging in the city, which had a population of 300,000. There were more than 80,000 deaths during the time the major was prisoner. Six of the victims were Red Cross men.

AMERICANS FIGHT TYPHUS

Although virtually prisoners the Red Cross men directed the fight against the disease and worked day and night to check the epidemic. It was then that the program for a series of quarantine stations and delousing plants was mapped out. For this program $15,000,000 was to have been asked. But before more than the initial steps could be taken the Red Cross was withdrawn from the field.

"It is the most careless nation in the world," said Major Charette, "but if we could have established the quarantine stations and carried out our program I believe the typhus problem would have been solved."

Supplies brought here for distribution to hospitals came in the steamships Hanamet and Simbirsk. The supplies have been placed in the godown of the Fearon-Daniel Company and plans for distribution are being made. Mr. W. A. B. Nichols, president of Fearon-Daniel, has long been active in Red Cross work and is giving valuable assistance to Major Charette and his aides, Captains A. M. Harris and C. J. Smith, who are to start for the United States early in June. Captain Smith is chief accountant for the Red Cross Siberian Commission and is stopping here for a few weeks to wind up financial affairs.

SUPPLIES TO KOREA

Besides the two shiploads of supplies sent here for China's hospitals, another shipload was taken by Captain E. S. Jones to Gensan Korea, and from there trans-shipped to Seoul where it was turned over to Mr. A. W. Taylor, chairman of the Chosen chapter of the American Red Cross. One shipload of supplies was stopped, en route to Siberia, at Kobe, Japan, and the officers here have not heard what disposition has been made of it.

Supplies valued at between two millions and three millions of dollars still remain in the Red Cross warehouses in Siberia and the question of their disposal has not yet been settled. It is the belief of the officers here, however, that a major portion of these goods will be sent to the Philippines and Hawaii. Liberal support came to the Red Cross from the Island peoples during the war and it is Major Charette's opinion that due recognition of the fact will be given.

MAY USE QUESTIONNAIRE

Method of disposing of the materials here has not yet been definately determined. Major Charette looks very favorably on Mr. Nichol's suggestion that a questionnaire be sent to the hospitals in order that an efficient system may be worked out. It may be six months before the supplies have been disposed of.

In the lot of goods still in Siberia there are many bulky articles, such as furniture and fittings. No attempt will be made to send these home but, instead, they will be brought to Shanghai and sold.

Great care is to be used in the distribution of the Red Cross supplies here, in Korea and in the Islands. Each hospital will be given a rating according to its requirements, capacity and efficiency and it will be on this basis that the allotments will be made.

Japan Anxious For Opinions Of British On Renewal Of Anglo-Nipponese Alliance

Asahi Says Only American And Australian Viewpoints Have Been Shown—Surmises Australia Prefers Pact With U.S.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Osaka, May 20.—The Asahi, discussing the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, says that recent despatches have shown only the American and Australian points of view regarding the renewal of the Alliance and expresses anxiety to learn what the British at home are thinking.

The journal states that the removal of the Russian military menace and the formation of the League of Nations are two reasons which weaken the raison d'etre of the Alliance and that some Japanese are of opinion that a renewal is unnecessary because of these reasons.

Doubtless, the Asahi adds, some of the British are of the same opinion. It is realised that the British authorities respect the opinions of Australia, Canada and India. Australia's firm stand for a "White Australia" is reviewed at length.

The journal states that it conflicts with Japan's stand for racial equality and expresses regret that, "even after five years' faithful adherence to the Alliance, especially after the protecting of the lines of communication between Australia, India and the United Kingdom by the Japanese Navy alone, Australian suspicion is still not removed." The Asahi surmises that, as far as Australia is concerned, the Commonwealth desires an alliance with the United States rather than a renewal of the Anglo-Japanese Pact.

The Journal also regrets that the Prince of Wales will not visit Japan. Such a visit, it is declared, would immensely please the Japanese and the Asahi expresses the fear that this fact is a sign of the cooling down of British enthusiasm in the Alliance.

Outer Mongolia's Mineral Resources Will Be Examined

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, 20.—The vernacular newspapers state that a mining commission, headed by Dr. J. G. Anderssen, Mining Adviser, will leave for Urga on June 3 with the object of examining the mineral resources of Outer Mongolia.

Bonomi Rejects Task Of Forming Italian Cabinet

(*Reuter's Service*)

Rome, May 17.—Signor Bonomi has rejected the task of forming a cabinet owing to the refusal of the Popular Party to participate.

Objects To Foreign Loan Secured By Chinese Eastern Ry.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, May 20.—General Chang Tso-lin does not support the proposal to raise a foreign Loan, secured by the Chinese Eastern Railway, but advocates utilising the surplus revenue of the Peking-Hankow and Peking-Suiyuan Railways to meet the present deficit on the Chinese Eastern.

General Chang Tso-lin in view of General Pao Kwei-ching's resignation, recommends the appointment of Sun Lieh-chun as Tuchun of Kirin and President of the Chinese Eastern Railway, General Chang Ching-hui to succeed Sun Lieh-chun as Tuchun of Heilungkiang.

TURK TREATY ROUSES INDIA AND LEADERS OF MOSLEMS

Hindus And Musselmans Join Forces Hoping For Revision

CALL CONFERENCE

Minimum Indemnity Of Germany Fixed At 125 Billion Marks

(*Reuter's Service*)

Bombay, May 17.—Mr. Gandhi, the Indian Nationalist leader, has issued a statement, describing the Turkish Treaty as a "staggering blow to Indian Mussulmans.' He considers that non-co-operation with the Government is the only effective remedy. The statement calls for an immediate joint conference of Hindus and Musselmans with a view to concerted action to secure the revision of the Treaty.

Bombay, May 16.—The English papers here commenting on the Turkish treaty consider that Turkey has got off more lightly owing to the Moslem agitation in India.

The Indian papers severely condemn the treaty, declaring that Moslem claims have been completely ignored.

VICEROY ENDEAVORS TO APPEASE MOSLEMS

Lord Chelmsford, Viceroy of India, has issued to the Moslems a message of encouragement and sympathy in connection with the Turkish treaty, which, although in accordance with the high principles already applied to the other peace settlements, includes terms which the Viceroy fears may be painful to all Moslems.

The Viceroy eulogises the war services of the Indians who, he declares, contributed much to the Allied ideals of justice and humanity. Lord Chelmsford adds that he believes that Great Britain's pre-war friendship with Turkey will quickly revive and that regenerate Turkey will stand again as the pillar of the Islamic faith.

Paris, May 17.—Well-informed quarters here state that Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand at Hythe laid down the sum of 125,000,000,000 marks as the minimum German indemnity, in order to avoid difficulties arising from the fluctuation in the rates of exchange.

WHY BRITAIN OBJECTED TO FRENCH PRIORITY

Mr. Lloyd George's refusal to recognise the priority of France to reparation is stated to have been specially due to the objections of the British Dominions who are counting on the money due from Germany in order to assure payment of soldiers' pensions.

The French delegates proposed payment of the indemnity in 33 annual instalments and the raising of a large loan covered by Germany and the Allies, with the indemnity as security.

The International Conference at Brussels will probably be postponed until after the Spa meeting.

Mayence, May 17.—The evacuation of the towns on the right bank of the Rhine was carried out this morning.

The population had been warned by a laconic proclamation by General Degoutte saying "The French keep their word."

LIVING COST IN BRITAIN ADVANCES OVER 140 PERCENT

Prices This Summer Expected To Soar To Higher Level Because Of Conditions

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 17.—The Labor Gazette states that retail prices, including those of food, clothing, fuel, light, and rent on February 1, were about 141 percent above the prices in July, 1914.

The Food Controller's statistics, relating to food, show an increase of 146 percent.

The Gazette says that food prices in the United Kingdom have risen less than in France, Italy and Sweden and are not much in excess of those in the United States. It adds that the present level is, however, undoubtedly a matter for very serious concern.

The Gazette concludes that prices during the coming summer will reach a very high level owing to the cost of food that will have to be imported, the partial removal of the bread subsidy and the increased price of sugar and potatoes.

The percentage of unemployed has decreased from 3.63 percent at the end of March to 2.80 percent at the end of April.

Much Pomp At German Military Academy Graduation

Militarism still prevails in Germany. This photograph was taken at Potsdam following the recent graduation of unter-officers at the German military academy. It is distinctly reminiscent of pre-war days—and so were the ceremonies. Prince Friedrich Seigismund is the officer wearing the uniform of the "Death's Head Hussars." With him are his wife and child.

LAST AMERICAN ENGINEERS FROM SIBERIA ARE HERE

Final Contingent Is On Way Home From Service On North Railways

American engineering officers who have been in Siberia since 1917 have evacuated that country and the last contingent to depart for the United States is now in Shanghai. Headed by Majors G. N. Haynes and P. M. Lowell, members arrived here and are stopping at the Kalee Hotel until tomorrow when they depart on the Empress of Asia for Manila where they will embark on a transport for home.

In the party are the two majors and Lieutenants W. R. Walsh, O. T. Alexander, W. D. Meredith, W. A. Keating, S. C. Dellaven, J. F. O'Shea and F. D. Hutchens. They came here overland, stopping at Tientsin to play a series of four baseball games, the party comprising a fast team which made a great record while in the field.

WOULD PLAY SHANGHAI

Despite the fact that the first baseman has returned to Harbin and the second baseman has accepted a position at Peking the American officers were ready to meet the Shanghai team here yesterday if the weather had permitted.

At Tientsin the Engineers lost one game to the 15th Infantry team by a score of 8-10 but won a notable victory over the same aggregation by a score of 1-0. They also defeated a Japanese team by a score of 8-5 and a team of civilians by a score of 6-5.

The Engineers in this party arrived in Vladivostok about the time Kerensky was overthrown by the Bolshevists and were compelled to return to Nagasaki. From there they were sent to Harbin and took up the problems of the Chinese Eastern where they had many exciting and trying experiences before being ordered home.

British Give Big Sum To Alleviate European Distress

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 18.—It is officially announced that the Treasury has spent £452,329 since June last in grants to voluntary societies for relief of the famine stricken areas of Europe in connection with the scheme whereby the Treasury pays one pound for every pound voluntarily raised.

Osaka Prepares To Greet Rome Flyers

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Osaka, May 20.—The citizens, military authorities and town officials of Osaka are looking forward with great pleasure to the arrival of the Italian aviators.

Preparations are being made for a great reception and banquet at the Public Hall.

It is thought probable that the new Italian Ambassador, Marquis Paulucci, will visit Osaka for the occasion.

Souvenirs of the arrival of the airmen will be presented to all the guests at the reception and banquet.

Davison Advocates Half Billion Loan To Relieve Europe

(*Reuter's Service*)

Des Moines, Iowa, May 17.—Mr. Henry P. Davison, Chairman of the Board of Governors of the American National Red Cross, in the course of a speech at a Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church today urged Congress to appropriate half a billion dollars as a 15 year loan to relieve the distress in Eastern Europe where he declared thousands of men, women and children were dying of starvation and disease.

FIVE MANCHURIAN RYS. TO BE UNDER JAPAN'S CONTROL

Japan's withdrawal from South Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia in favor of the formation of the new Consortium is conditional, because she says that the five branch lines of the South Manchuria Railway are vital to the national safety of her empire.

This is the gist of a reply handed by Peking to General Li Shun, Tuchun of Kiangsu.

The five railways were granted to Japanese capitalists by Peking during the World War. They are the Shihpingchieh - Chenchiatun railway, the Shihfeng-Kailu railway, Huiling-Kirin railway, the Jehol-Taonan railway and the Kirin-Changchun railway.

These lines will be administered separately from the Consortium, because the Tokio militarists refuse to make further concessions with reference to the formation of the Consortium.

Believe Chin Will Resume Premiership

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, May 20.—Kuo Tzeyun, Chief Secretary of the Cabinet, has not succeeded in persuading Chin Yung-peng to return to Peking but it is believed that Chin will resume the Premiership at the end of his ten days' leave.

New Birth Record Is Established In England And Wales

Quarterly Returns Show Total Of 271,082—Marriages In Same Period 239,460

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 18.—The quarterly return of marriages, births and deaths in England and Wales shows that births amounted to 271,082, which is a record.

Deaths aggregated 137,637 of which 4,037 were due to influenza. Infant mortality was 88 per thousand, which is 32 per thousand below the average rate of the ten preceding first quarters. 280,760 births and 147,022 deaths were registered during the three months ending December 31 in the United Kingdom.

The increase in population was therefore 133,738; the number of marriages in the same quarter was 239,460.

ALIENS BILL IS ABANDONED BY GREAT BRITAIN

Attempt To Legislate For Dominions Is Charge Made By Opponents

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 18.—Lord Stanhope, moving the second reading of the British nationality and status of Aliens Bill said that it largely codified the Act of 1914 and subsequent measures. He contended that foreigners ought not to be admitted while ex-service men were walking the streets unemployed.

The Lord Chancellor declared that the proposals were wholly unworkable and that the bill was not susceptible of amendment. Inter alia, it would involve a revolution of the whole system existing as a result of repeated conferences between the Home and Dominions Governments. It would involve a breach of understanding with the latter and constitute an attempt to legislate for the Dominions within their own territories which they would undoubtedly very deeply resent and to which it would be wholly impossible to give effect.

The bill was dropped without a division.

ELECTRICITY IS USED BY MAKERS OF BOGUS MONEY

Gang Of Chinese Arrested On Charge Of New Methods In Counterfeiting

Awakening China is applying modern methods to crime as well as to business, according to police reports. A gang of five Chinese was arrested in the Hongkew district last night on a charge of being "electric counterfeiters."

The men had discovered the art of electro-plating, the police say. The Mixed Court will hear the details today.

Placing a genuine silver dollar at the end of an electrode the counterfeiters placed the coin in a solution. Then attaching a leaden imitation of the real coin to another wire charged with electricity they dropped it into the receptacle.

Combination of the electricity and the acid solution caused enough silver to depart from the genuine coin and adhere to the one which was spurious to enable the counterfeiters to pass the latter as good money.

This is the charge. The merits of the case will be determined by the magistrates.

Ex-Service Men In Britain Working In Government Offices

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 17.—An official statement issued today shows that the number of ex-service men employed in Government offices totals 121,133 of whom 35,344 are disabled. The Post Office is the largest employer with 50,997 employed, 17,144 of whom are disabled.

MACREADY GETS FULL AUTHORITY IN IRELAND

Has Unlimited Call On British Military To Restore Order

SITUATION GRAVE

Armored Motors And Machine Guns Posted In Londonderry

ULSTER EXCITED

Dublin Police Station Occupied By Soldiers To Protect Public

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 18.—Indicating that General Sir Nevil Macready was to have an unlimited call upon the army for Ireland, Mr. Bonar Law told the House of Commons today that the Government would send any troops the Irish Executive requested.

Meanwhile the condition of Londonderry is electric, and a large body of troops with machine guns and armored cars have been posted at certain points.

The situation in Ulster appears to be developing in the direction already forecasted and it is feared that the Covenanters may break out of all bounds if Sinn Fein spreads any further in the North East counties.

DUBLIN POLICE STATION OCCUPIED BY TROOPS

London, May 17.—A bulletin, issued from Dublin Castle today, states that 50 Irish Police barracks were destroyed on the night of May 12 and over 20 income tax-offices attacked and the books and documents destroyed. Several court houses were also attacked.

London, May 17.—Two thousand troops have been landed at Bantry, Co. Cork, and distributed throughout West Cork, where they will be stationed in detachments five miles apart.

London, May 17.—The military have occupied Dalkey police station, Dublin, for protective purposes and for the inaugurating of a new scheme for securing public safety.

U. S. MINISTER TO ARRIVE MONDAY

Mr. Charles R. Crane Will Be Dinner Guest Of American Commercial Bodies

Mr. Charles R. Crane, the American Minister who is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Monday morning, May 24 by s.s. Nanking, will be entertained at dinner on the evening of the same day by the members of the American Chamber of Commerce of China and the American Association of China.

Mrs. Crane, the wife of the Minister will be entertained the same evening at dinner by the officers of the American Women's Club in association with the wives of the officers of the American Chamber of Commerce of China and the American Association of China.

The dinners will be given at the Palace Hotel at 8 o'clock p.m. and not at the Astor House Hotel as originally scheduled. Members of the two organisations who have not yet sent in their reservations or who have failed to receive notices are urged to notify Mr. W. A. Chapman, 113 Avenue Edward VII., Central 4742.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, May 19.—Mr. Charles Richard Crane, the new United States Minister to China, arrived in Yokohama this morning. He will leave for Shanghai on May 21.

Japanese Widow Who Made War Fortune Now Seeking Credit

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Osaka, May 20.—Mrs. Teruko Nakamura, widow of an Osaka iron millionare is asking for an extension of credit. She made a great fortune during the war but recent economic events have affected her business seriously. The fact is noteworthy as a sign of the times.

McTyeire Sorority Begins Unique Fete And Bazaar In Ex-German Club Today

Nine Hours Of Entertainment Will Be Given By Undergraduates Of Girl School

Today is the first day of the McTyeire Sorority Fete, which is to be held at the former German Club, Jinkee Road and the Bund. At 3 o'clock, all the counters of the picturesque bazaar will be thrown open and a special bargain department will attract the interest of the early comers. Unique native products will be offered for sale at cost.

The children's entertainment begins at 3:30 o'clock. The program will include a Highland Fling, a skipping rope drill, a pantomime listed as "Where are you Going, Pretty Maid?"; a one-act playlet, "Peak Sisters!" a folk dance, a cantata entitled "Daisy Face" and other features, lasting an hour and half.

Tea and home-made delicacies will be served, beginning at 4 o'clock. During the refreshment, the band of the Defense Commissioner of Shanghai will play.

Between 6 and 7:30 o'clock, a variety entertainment will be staged. Among the special attractions are songs by the McTyeire Glee Club, a dialogue on Spanish Gypsies, a dance termed "Maid of Mirth," Humanophone, the production of the balcony scene of "Romeo and Juliet" and piano solos and duets.

Tomorrow, at 5:30, there will be a closed auction.

The serving of supper begins at 6:30 o'clock. The Band of the Defense Commissioner will again render some lively selections.

The production of the light comic operetta "Sylvia" is the chief event in the night. Sixty girls of the McTyeire School, who participated in the "Tennesse Princess" and "Everywoman" last year, will take part. It is produced under the direction of Miss C. Park, Miss M. B. Olive and Miss M. Smith.

With the exception of the bargain sale, the entire program of attractions will be repeated tomorrow at the same scheduled time. The proceeds of the sales will go to the funds for the erection of certain buildings on the McTyeire Campus, 1 Edinburgh Road.

The fete is in the charge of the officers of the McTyeire Sorority, consisting of former undergraduates of the school, and assisted by the administration, the alumnae and the present student body and a number of sub-committees. The reception committee is made up of Miss Elizabeth Clayborn, Miss Laura White, Mrs. A. P. Parker, Mrs. Paul Hutchinson, Mrs. C. E. Crane, Mrs. George B. Fryer, Mrs. R. A. Parker, Mrs. T. E. Hearn and Mrs. Joel Black.

Program of the McTyeire Sorority Fete to be held at the former German Club today and tomorrow:

3 p.m.—Opening of Bazaar and Side-shows.
3 p.m.—Bargain Sale (for today only).
3:30 p.m.—Children's Entertainment.
4 p.m.—Tea and Refreshments and Band Concert.
5:30 p.m.—Closed Auction (for second day only).
6 p.m.—Variety entertainment.
6:30 p.m.—Supper, Military Band Music.
9 p.m.—Production of "Sylvia."

POLICE WILL NOT BE GUILD AGENTS

Council Holds Boatmen Are Entitled Only To Same Status As Others

That a boatman's guild is entitled only to the same privileges of protection as is any other organisation or individual is the opinion of the Municipal Council, according to the Municipal Gazette which contains the following communication from the Chairman, Mr. A. Brooke Smith:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 26 transmitting for the Council's information a copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, requesting Police protection for a native cargo boat guild.

"In reply thereto I have the honor to inform you that the members of this guild will receive the ordinary Police protection to which all residents and persons conducting business in the Settlement are considered to be entitled. At the same time I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to warn the Guild in question that, in accordance with the standing practice, no form of compulsion can be exercised so far as the Settlement is concerned, to compel boatmen to become members of the Guild, nor to arrest alleged members of the guild for infringement of its regulations. The Council considers this warning necessary since a case has already been dealt with in which a so-called agent of the Guild endeavored to effect an illegal arrest within the Settlement."

This statement was made in reply to the following communication to the Senior Consul from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs:

TROUBLE ANTICIPATED

"The Commissioner has received a letter from Kiang Sung representing the Chinese Cargo Boat Guild stating that trade has flourished greatly in Shanghai while the facilities afforded by the Whangpoo for transport of goods by boats are the most convenient in this country. Cargo and tow boats are used extensively for the conveyance of goods by water but there is yet no guild formed of those engaged in this business. Of late there have been many cases of robbery and the business (of those engaged in the transport of cargo) has suffered greatly. Representatives (of this business) have had interviews and discussions in regard to the matter of organising a guild of their own so that regulations may be drawn up for the guidance of those engaged in this business. They have submitted their proposed regulations to the City Magistrate who has approved them and has issued a proclamation for the protection of their interests: this is on record. But their boats not only ply in inland waters, they also have to pass through waterways within Settlement limits; hence trouble from robbers and thieves is unavoidable. According to regulations 5 and 9 of their guild all cargo boats should be registered and numbered, and certificates given. Any boatman meeting with robbers or thieves when passing through the Settlement waterways must report the matter to the River and Municipal Police for the necessary protection. A copy of the guild regulations for the information of the Commissioner is submitted asking him to communicate with the Senior Consul with a view to obtaining such Municipal Police protection as may be necessary as occasion arises."

CHINESE CONVICTS IN PENITENTIARY ON HUNGER STRIKE

Inmates Of Provincial Prison Demand They Be Given Better Treatment

Over five hundred prisoners at the Kiangsu Second Provinical Penitentiary have called a hunger strike demanding better treatment. Three requests have been submitted to the chief warder, Tao Meng-kan, who succeeded Warder Hao Tseng-hsian upon the latter's arrest and imprisonment on several criminal charges.

Tao was asked to allow all the inmates to receive food and clothing from their families, to be paid their wages earned in the workshops at the end of every month and to have meat on the first day of every month and have fish on the 15th of every month. He refused and the strike was called.

Over 100 long term criminals escaped recently at this institution following a riot at which the cells were broken and the warders overpowered.

Plan Social Event To Assist Russian Needy In Shanghai

French Club Loans Rooms To Officers For Use In Charitable Cause

A concert and dance will be given by the League of Russian Officers for the benefit of the Relief Fund on May 27. They will be held in the concert hall and supper rooms which have been loaned for the occasion by the Cercle Sportif Francais.

On Saturday afternoon a meeting of ladies and gentlemen who have taken this undertaking in hand was held in the Kalee Hotel, those present being Mrs. W. G. Avery, Baron and Baroness W. Bistram, Princess Dimitry N. Golitzine, Mme. N. A. Ivanoff, Mme. L. Straetmans, Mme. G. G. Synnerberg, Admiral Kovalevsky and Messrs. P. Selivanoff, P. Tisseau and S. W. Wolfe.

Madame L. Straetmans and Admiral Kovalevsky were elected joint presidents of the Committee, with Mr. K. C. Ramsden as hon. secretary, and Mr. S. W. Wolfe as hon. treasurer. Mr. G. Schlisler also was nominated a member.

A most attractive program was submitted by Mr. Selivanoff on behalf of the Society of Literature and Arts, which has kindly undertaken to provide the concert, this including items by the Russian Balalaika Orchestra, Russian Chorus, Russian Ballet, and others by eminent artistes now in Shanghai. Other details of what promises to be an exceptionally fine entertainment were arranged for, and it was decided that the price of admission to the concert and dance, including supper, would be three dollars. Tickets may be obtained from any of the members of the Committee, also at the Cercle Sportif Francais and the Russo-Asiatic Bank.

Empress Of Canada To Be Launched In Scotland August 17

New C.P.O.S. Ship Coming To Shanghai Next May On Round World Trip

The Canadian Pacific Ocean Services yesterday received a cable from Canada saying that the Empress of Canada will be launched on August 17, at the yards of the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Govan, Scotland.

The steamship will be 22,000 tons, 644 feet in length, 77 feet in breadth, and 53 feet in depth, there are a number of special features in connection with the ship; she will have accommodations consisting of single berth, two-berth, and three berth cabins, state rooms with toilet, state rooms with bathroom and toilet, state rooms en suite, swimming pool, gymnasium, etc.

The entire promenade is devoted to social and amusement purposes, including lounge, cardroom, gallery lounge, writing room, smoking room, verandah cafe, and other unique features.

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Foreigner Accused Of Using Firearm

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In The British Supreme Court

Yu Yah-ching and Yung and Co. vs. the General Accident Fire and Life Assurance Corporation, Ltd.

This was a claim for Tls. 20,000 on an insurance policy in respect of a fire at Nanking Hotel last December.

Pleadings were ordered.

S. E. Green (carrying on business as Banker and Co.) vs. Reids, Ltd.

Judgment was delivered today as follows:

This is the trial of a counterclaim in an action in which I have already given judgment on the claim. It refers to entirely different matters than those in the claim. It appears that the defendants, represented by their sales manager Stone, got into communication with the firm of Banker and Co. represented by a partner Green in Hongkong regarding business in wines and spirits. This was in March, 1919. As a result two indents for wines etc., were signed by Green: value about $22,500: these were handed to Stone, cabled by him to Shanghai to his principals (the defendants) and the original indents were sent on by mail.

After the signature of the first dent, Green opened a credit with e Bank of Canton in favor of the efendants for $20,000. The first ndent is dated March 21: the credit as opened on March 22 and notified by cable to the defendants on March 24; the second indent is dated March 25. On March 29, Stone and Green executed before Mr. Grist of the firm of Wilkinson and Grist of Hongkong an agreement whereby Green was made sole agent for the goods of Reids Limited in a certain specified area, and Reids Limited undertook to protect Green in the matter of prices if the market fell. This agreement somewhat surprisingly was not sent at that time to the defendants in Shanghai, but was taken by Stone on his round, only reaching the defendants some two months later when Stone arrived in Shanghai himself. Stone left Hongkong on March 29 for Japan (as Green knew) after the execution of the agreement and on March 31 the defendants were notified by the Bank of Canton here that the credit had been cancelled by cable, at the same time themselves receiving a cable from Green telling them not to ship, followed by another cable of April 1 definitely cancelling the orders. The defendants communicated the cancellation of the credit to Stone in Japan, who in turn cabled Green asking what had happened.

The answer to that telegram explaining the position of Green is stated by Stone never to have been received by him though it was addressed to him as requested at Nagasaki, and he never seems to have taken any trouble about the answer. At the same time Green wrote two letters on April 2, one to the defendants and one to Stone. Both were addressed to Shanghai, though Green knew well that Stone was not in Shanghai, and Stone tells me that he never received the letter. It is unfortunate that the contents of the letter to Stone were not furnished to the defendants, for in that letter, one, did Green state fully the case he has set up in Court. To the defendants he wrote somewhat vaguely about certain contingencies and arrangements and curtly referred them to Stone, whom he knew was not in Shanghai. (Letter read). This action was commenced on June 21 and on July 22 the counterclaim was filed; to which the defense now set up was filed on August 21.

There is no evidence to show that Green at any time prior to that date put his position relating to the contingent nature of these orders to the defendants. The defendants sue for $22,500, the price of the wines sold. The defense is a twofold one in law that no action under any circumstances of the facts will lie for the price of these goods and on the facts that the whole of the arrangement between Green and Stone were contingent upon one Bond, then in the employ of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., of Hongkong, joining Green in his business, and that Bond was not able to do so. And this is said to be the contingent arrangement which was vaguely mentioned by Green to the defendants in this letter of April 2. The existence of such arrangement is strenuously denied by Stone, and it was for the reason that his evidence was essential on that point that the hearing of this co-claim was deferred till now.

The evidence is now all before me: some of it oral and most of it taken as commission. It is worthy of note that Green's evidence was taken in Shanghai on September 10: just 3 weeks after the contingent nature of the orders had been put on the record and yet no cross-examination was made of him: the legal practitioner then appearing for the defendants stating that he had not received the necessary instructions to enable him to do so: and could not get them except from Stone, who was then in Singapore. At the trial, however, no objection was taken to the receipt of the evidence, though express provision was made for such objection by the learned Judge of this Court when he made the order for his examination *de bene esse*. Then it is most remarkable that no evidence of Bond was taken at all: it certainly was to the interest of the plaintiff to have had his story, and the commission sent to Hongkong was a general one to examine such witnesses as should be produced on the plaintiff's behalf. The plaintiff must not be surprised if I draw an inference against him on this fact alone.

Now two facts stand out prominently in this case: one, no reference is anywhere made to the Bond matter, i.e., the indent, agreement or correspondence by anyone prior to the letter to Stone in Shanghai: the second, it is clear that the matter of Bond was in the minds of all the parties in Hongkong. Now it seems to me that Green is in this position: he must either have thought that the Bond matter was certain or he never intended it to be a condition precedent to business, for surely otherwise he would never have gone to the unnecessary trouble and expense of arranging a telegraphic credit. This fact rather looks to me as if Green knew that Stone was going to cable the indent of March 21 to Shanghai. I cannot otherwise see the need for a telegraphic credit. Now Green knew that the Bond matter was not settled: on his own evidence Stone was seeing the lawyers on the matter of the agreement with Gande, Price and Co. as late as March 28: so that I am asked to believe that a business man signed two clean indents to an amount of over $20,000, opened a telegraphic credit for that mount in Shanghai and signed the agreement of March 29 without any reservation in writing at all of such an important matter as the condition. In addition, I must believe that Stone deliberately misrepresented the interview with Mr. Gedge and then left his bill to be paid by Green, knowing that he must ascertain from it the nature of the advice given.

On the other hand it is clear that there were efforts made to get Bond to join Green, and in those efforts Stone took a prominent part. He told me that he had known Bond for a long time and it is remarkable that it is Stone who sees the lawyers as to the restrictive clause in his agreement and Stone who pays for these interviews. But all this is very far from establishing a condition precedent to any business at all; and in my opinion does not outweigh the striking probabilities arising from the documentary part of the case. In my opinion, therefore, there was no such condition attached to this business as is set up by the plaintiff: his contracts and his credit were unimpeachable and must be so regarded by me. I therefore hold that there was a contract for the sale of wines etc., between the plaintiff and defendants and there has been a breach of it.

Now it is elementary that for such a breach the law provides a remedy in damages, but none have been proved here: under these circumstances it might be possible for me to enter judgment for the defendants on the counterclaim for a nominal amount. But damages have never even been asked for in the case: the defendants boldly sue for the price of these goods without any evidence or even allegation that they have delivered them or tendered them or hold them or have held them at the plaintiff's risk since the breach in April 1919. It is put in two ways:—(1) these are specific goods and we are entitled to the price of them or (2) the property in them has passed to the buyer by an unconditional appropriation of them to the contract and therefore we are entitled to the price.

But these were not specific goods nor is there any evidence to show that they were. They are part of an ordinary wine merchant's stock: it is not even suggested that they were a particular cargo or anything like that: and Mr. Ramsay has not said one word to suggest that they can in any sense be considered specific goods. Then, has the property passed to the plaintiff in any other way? The only evidence on this is the one statement of Mr. Ramsay that moneys had been paid by them to release the goods or some of them, that the cargo was marked and got ready for shipment. That is no appropriation in law, unconditionally made by the seller with the assent of the buyer either express or implied. I see that the learned draftsman of the Sale of Goods Act 1893 in his small work on the Act states that if the decisions are carefully examined, it will be found that in every case where the property has been held to pass there has been an actual or constructive delivery of the goods to the buyer.

Here there is nothing of the sort: the goods at the best are marked in the defendant's godown for the plaintiff, but no insurance of them is effected and no freight was even arranged. I hold that there was no appropriation of them to the buyer so as to pass the property in them to the plaintiff. If I am wrong in this, it is enough to say that the whole conduct of the defendant from May 21 onwards was to treat the contract as at an end: on that date the defendant's legal advisers in Hongkong took the correct attitude in respect of a contract like this and read:—"Should your clients not be willing to settle on these terms we give you notice that unless they take delivery of the goods in question within one week of the date hereof and pay the price therefore our clients will sell the same by public auction or private contract and hold your clients responsible for all loss or damage which may ensue."—It is impossible I think for the defendants now to change their ground and say that they have held these goods as the property of the plaintiff since that letter. It is clear that if they had sold the goods after May 21 they would have sold as "owners." I hold that the property in these goods either never passed to the plaintiff or the contract was rescinded by the defendants at all events on May 31, 1919: the defendants have therefore pursued an entirely wrong remedy.

The section of the Sale of Goods Act applicable to this case is Sect. 50, and the action should have been one for damages. It is not an act for damages and no amendment has been asked for to make it one: nor have any damages been proved in the case at all. The defendants have preferred to base their claim simply on the price of the goods, without any averment that they still hold the goods for the plaintiff or that they have tendered them and he has refused to accept them or that they have been sold on his account: Under these circumstances I can only enter judgment for the plaintiff on the counterclaim.

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(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 17.—Speaking at the Mansion House luncheon today after receiving the freedom of the City, Lord Jellicoe anticipated five happy years in New Zealand whose people he and his wife had already learned to love.

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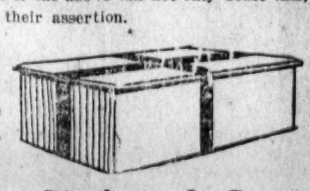
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Washington, May 10.—Bainbridge Colby, his new Secretary of State, has been selected by President Wilson to carry on the fight for the ratification of the Peace Treaty and the League of Nations as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency, according to reliable reports obtained here today. The President is expected to insist on Mr. Colby's nomination by the Democratic National Convention next month.

It is understood that President Wilson took Mr. Colby into the cabinet for the express purpose of grooming him for the Democratic nomination on the League of Nations platform.

Washington, May 7.—Governor Edwards of New Jersey the champion of the movement to amend the enforcing act of the Federal Prohibition Amendment to permit of the sale of light wines and beers, has definitely announced that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the presidency on the wet platform.

Senator Warren G. Harding, Ohio, has issued a statement in which he strenuously denies that he has withdrawn from the list of Republican aspirants for the presidency. Senator Harding is generally regarded as the candidate who stood for the views of the more conservative wing of the Republican party.

Report Of A Meeting That Was Not Held

When the weather got velvety lately with the blossoms bursting and all that sort o' thing it was figured that Shanghai was going to have a real tennis season this year. Everybody was sending out their rackets to get 'em sharpened, or whatever they do, and talk around the leading garages was mostly about vulcanising jobs on casings of last year's tennis shoes.

Then a tasty little advertisement was printed calling a meeting of tennis players of the American Athletic Club and all others interested in the United States court room. This was signed by "The Committee" and it was plain that this committee had hit on a clever scheme to stimulate interest by introducing an element of doubt into the advertisement. They didn't say when the meeting would be held.

One man guessed that it would be on Wednesday but this was wrong. When he went over to the court room Deputy Marshal Craig told him so and said he was picking Thursday as the day himself.

Since this came from an American federal official there was reason to figure it was right. THE CHINA PRESS reporter wanted to be sure to get a good place where he could hear everything so he was the first one to appear for the meeting. W. H. Tenney was the next man and he and the reporter had a long talk together while a coolie boy who seemed to have something on his mind dragged chairs and things around for the others that were coming.

Mr. Tenney has been in China 14 years and he gave two reasons why he would rather live in Shanghai than in the United States, saying he came from Boston. It was easy to understand why his job is going to keep him in China for some time to come. He's is the soap business—Asia Soap Works.

About that time P. R. Moore came to the meeting. He used to be a teacher in China and was out here five years when he decided to go home and then he came back lately to go to work for Anderson Meyer and company. He was talking about ptomaine poisoning when the sad faced coolie came back and began to put up the shutters.

"Say, who called this meeting?" Tenney broke in and asked. The reporter answered.

"Well," he averred "this tennis game isn't much of an indoor sport anyway."

JAPS TO INSTALL PHONE SYSTEM IN KIANGSU, REPORT

An interpellation was filed yesterday by four local organisations with Peking, protesting against the report of the proposed installation of long distance telephone lines in the Province of Kiangsu.

Report has it that two deputies of the Ministry of Communications together with Japanese engineers and capitalists have been making a survey of a long distance telephone line between Shanghai and Nanking. The director of the local Nantao Telephone Company denies any knowledge of this.

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LIVING COSTS IN SHANGHAI BASIS OF LAW CONTEST

Expenses In San Francisco And China Compared By Witnesses In Case

Trial of the cross suit of H. S. Honigsberg & Company versus Charles B. Jones in which each side is seeking to recover damages in the sum of $10,000 as the outcome of a controversy over an employment contract opened yesterday in the United States Court for China before Judge C. S. Lobingier.

Witnesses called in the course of the day testified concerning the differences between living costs in San Francisco and in Shanghai. The suit that was filed by the Honigsberg Company alleges that after Mr. Jones had been brought to China from California and employed in the capacity of shop foreman he broke the terms of his contract by quitting. In his reply to this Mr. Jones alleges that representations made to him concerning living costs in Shanghai by which he was induced to come to China were misleading.

Besides Mr. Jones those who gave testimony in the case were Messrs. H. Whitmore, Arthur D. Silas, R. Hutchinson, J. Rick, Thomas C. Britton, T. Watson and H. S. Honigsberg.

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Due to the incapability of Mr. P. C. Kwok to take up his office, Captain Linson Edward Dzau has been appointed acting secretary-treasurer of the Chung Mei Trading Corporation.

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Dr. W. W. Yen was guest of honor at a reception given yesterday afternoon by the Chinese Y.M.C.A.

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A basketball game takes place at the Y.M.C.A. next Wednesday evening between the Al Kuo Athletic Girls and the girls of the Shanghai American School.

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Y.M.C.A. Physical Training Class defeated Lourie High School in a baseball game played on Wednesday afternoon with a score of 21 to 14.

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The entries for the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association's ladies singles and ladies doubles championships close on Friday.

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Dr. Walter G. Hiltner, of the firm of Doctors Hiltner and Tenney, left last night with his family for Kuling for a short vacation.

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Among the passengers who sailed on the Koonshing yesterday afternoon were Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Brooke Smith for Weihaiwei and Mr. G. Craigie Ross for Tientsin.

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Captains Robertson, Laver, and Edwards were among the passengers who sailed for Hongkong on the Sinkiang yesterday.

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Two Japanese recently arrested for carrying concealed weapons were sentenced in the Japanese consular court. One was ordered confined in prison for 30 days and the other for 20 days.

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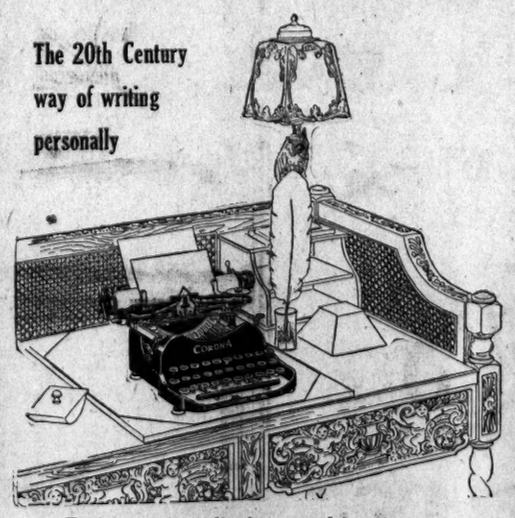

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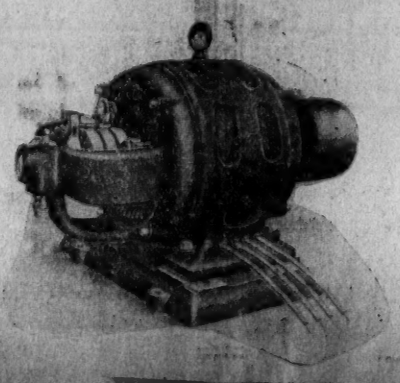

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The American School defeated Nanyang College on Wednesday afternoon at the College grounds, after a close and exciting game, score 5-2.

In all previous games between these schools, the college boys have always won by a safe margin.

The college boys had first bats, and at their first trial at the plate, drove two runs across. Two of the S.A.S. boys fanned, a third got his base on balls, and the fourth popped a fly to short. Neither side scored in the second. A close, exciting fight followed which was mainly a pitcher's duel. Neither side scored again until the fourth, when three bunched hits gave the Americans one run.

The S.A.S. came to bat in the last half of the six with the score still standing 2-1 against them. Haskell got his base on balls, Rugh followed with another walk, and then, with two on and none down, White clouted out a beautiful two-bagger to deep center, thus placing the American School in the lead. Elterich singled, and Chase and Brewster sacrificed, scoring two more runs.

White won the game for the schoolboys by his timely hit, and without this, his team would have probably lost.

The box score.

S. A. S.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
D. Rugh, 2b.	4	0	0	0	1	1
Squires, 3b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Viking, c.	2	0	0	8	4	1
Haskell, 1b.	2	1	1	7	0	0
R. Rugh, p.	2	2	1	2	2	2
White, lf.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Elterich, cf.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Chase, ss.	2	0	0	2	0	2
Brewster, rf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	22	5	5	21	7	5

NANYANG COLLEGE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Shen, c., p.	2	1	0	6	3	1
Lee, lf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Whong, ss., c.	2	0	0	5	0	1
Ning, p. ss.	3	0	2	1	4	0
Liang, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tsai, 1b.	3	0	0	6	0	1
Tu, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hsu, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Weng, 2b.	3	0	0	0	1	2
Totals	22	2	2	18	8	6

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
American School	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	5	5	5
Nanyang College	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	6

Earned Runs: S.A.S. 3, Nanyang 0. Two-base Hits: Rugh, White; First Base on Balls: off Rugh 4, off Ning 2, off Shen 2; Struck out: by Rugh 11, Ning 4, Shen 1; Left on Bases: S.A.S. 5, Nanyang 3; Double plays: Rugh to Haskell; Umpire:- McCloy; Scorer: T. H. Grafton.

Cricket Match Saturday

The Shanghai Cricket Club and the next twenty-two will play a match tomorrow beginning at 5:15. The players are as follows:

First XI.—G. M. Billings (Capt.), E. G. Barnes, W. C. G. Clifford, W. N. Hansell, A. W. Hayward, R. M. J. Martin, H. E. Muriel, W. S. Read, Rev. C. E. Spencer, C. E. M. Thomson and L. Wainwright.

Next Twenty-two.—T. D. Brotherton, R. D. Bell, G. H. G. Canlton, P. H. Cobb, B. W. Duthoit, H. Grindrod, J. R. Hinton, C. H. James, H. E. Jones, C. L. Matthews, W. J. Monk, J. R. Robertson, A. R. Rickards, K. C. Ramsden, K. W. Tribe, A. E. S. Thomson, R. J. Tippin, R. G. Vallack, H. D. Wilding, E. A. P. Wood and E. O. Cumming (Capt.).

Reserves.—H. W. Allison and J. M. Pearson.

Country Cricket

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, May 17.—Kent beat Warwick by five wickets.

Yorkshire beat Derbyshire by an innings and 223 runs.

Notts beat Leicester by an innings and 154 runs.

Lancashire beat Northamptonshire by an innings and 2 runs.

S.V.C. Orders

Corps orders by Major T. E. Trueman, Commandant, S.V.C. Headquarters, Town Hall, Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

No. 55.—Promotions—The following promotions have been approved by the Council and appear in the Municipal Gazette of May 20, 1920.

Staff—Capt. L. E. Canning to be Major.

American Co.—Capt. S. A. Ransom to be Major.

Engineers—Lieut. J. T. W. Brooke to be Captain.

"B" Co. British—Lieut. F. J. W. Melville to be Captain. 2/Lieut. L. M. ff. Beytagh to be Lieutenant.

No. 56.—Headquarter Offices—The Headquarter Offices will be closed on Monday, May 24, 1920, Empire Day.

No. 57.—Leave—Short leave has been granted to Lieut. R. A. Stuart 22-5-1920 to 24-5-1920.

Standardisation Of Rail Construction In China Discussed

Conference Of Engineers Began In Peking May 17 And Is To Last All Week

(*Special Correspondence*)

Peking, May 18.—In accordance with the plans laid out by the Technical Commission of the Ministry of Communications for the standardisation of Railway construction, a second engineering conference was called yesterday in the Building of the Railway Association to consider detailed drafts and designs of various specifications, which were generally discussed at the Preliminary Engineering Conference held on Feb. 13, 1920. The Conference is conducted by the Chairman of the Commission, Mr. Shen Ch'i, chief technical expert of the Ministry and it was attended by the engineers-in-chief of all the Chinese Government Lines, the Chinese members of the Commission and the five advisers, Messrs. T. R. Johnson, F. H. Clark, S. Hiral, T. Ohmra, and A. Taton. The present session will last a week, during which details of the following subjects will be discussed:—

1. Standard specification for steel bridges.
2. Standard cross section of railway.
3. Standard construction gauge.
4. Permanent way.
5. Switches and crossings.
6. Super-elevation.
7. Transition of curves.
8. Vertical curves at changes of grade.
9. Compensation of curves on grades.
10. Lay out at stations.

As the program of the Commission for the unification of railways includes the standardisation of the rolling stock and train working rules and regulations, conferences will be called within two months to discuss detailed drafts on the above topics, which are being prepared from decisions arrived at during the preliminary conference held during March and April.

MANY TO ATTEND AMERICAN PICNIC

Jessfield Road Park will be the scene of a historical picnic to be conducted under the auspices of the American Song Service tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The affair will be open to all Americans.

Real American eatables and drinks will be served. Pork and beans, apple pies, and apple cider will be among the delicacies to be served.

Already a large number of Americans have signified their intention of attending but arrangements are being made to entertain the entire American community in Shanghai. There will be plenty of "eats" for everybody. Bring your rug along to sit on and the Song Service will do the rest!

The committee in charge of the picnic consists of Mrs. Seeman, chairman, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Brenneman, Mrs. Gianque and Mrs. Black. Mr. C. D. Gianque will be in charge of the athletic program which begins at 4 o'clock.

CHINESE STABBED

A Chinese was stabbed and probably fatally injured last night in Sin Kee Pang Road by another Chinese. The man charged with the offense is in custody. Conflicting stories of the affray were told by witnesses. It is believed, however, that the men were quarreling over financial matters.

Mail To Be Held For Steamer China

Matter To Go On Venezuela Sailing Sunday Must Be Specifically Marked

Although the steamer Venezuela of the Pacific Mail will sail for America Sunday, mail matter in general that is being received at the American post office will be held here to go on the China of the China Mail, due to sail from here next Wednesday. This is being done because the China, sailing directly from Nagasaki, will arrive in San Francisco on June 11 while the Venezuela, which goes by way of Honolulu, will not arrive there until June 17.

It is announced, however, that mail matter that is specifically marked to go on the Venezuela will be despatched on that vessel Sunday. The closing hours for matter to go on the Venezuela will be 6 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for registered matter and 10 o'clock Sunday morning for ordinary mail.

A big consignment of mail is expected on the C.P.O.S. liner Empress of Asia, which is due to arrive here early tomorrow morning.

Lanhsien Buddhists Will Pray For Rain

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Lanhsien, Chihli, May 17.—On account of the lack of rain, the local Magistrate has called in to the Yamen a Buddhist priest to read the Buddhist classics and so pray for rain and he has also proclaimed a three days' fast, asking everyone to abstain from the eating of meat for that period.

In a place where there is a normal school, a telegraph school, a middle school, and an agricultural school, besides a refuge for morphine victims, such superstition is quite remarkable. It clearly indicates the serious condition in which the farmers are. The wheat crop is already pronounced a total failure. It is not yet too late to do planting, but the difficulty is that many have planted in the hope that rain will fall. If it does not come soon, the first attempts will be failures and, the available supply of manure used up, later attempts will have to be made with insufficient fertiliser.

American Dentist Charges Robbery

A coolie was brought before the Mixed Court yesterday on a charge of robbery made by Dr. R. S. Ivy, an American dentist. The dentist alleged that the Chinese stole a quanity of silver and clothing from his home at 3 Love Lane valued at $265.

According to the evidence given before American Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Yui yesterday a Chinese Police Constable saw the accused leaving the Ivy home followed by a servant who cried out that the house had been robbed. Investigation revealed the missing silver wrapped in an overcoat and hidden in the garden of the premises.

The case was remanded for a week in order to allow further investigation as several other robberies in that neighborhood have been reported recently.

CARPET TO BE RAFFLED

There is on view in one of Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw and Co.'s Szechuen Road windows a valuable Turkoman carpet which will shortly be raffled for the benefit of a Russian family at present stranded in Shanghai.

The owner—a collector of such things in former and more prosperous days—acquired this carpet in Khiva, and despite the fact that in face of the advancing Bolshevist tide he has been 'moving on' almost ever since, has managed not to part with it until now. It may be added that, a mining engineer by profession, speaking English and French fluently, besides Russian, and possessing a special knowledge of coal, he has not yet succeeded in finding work here, although most anxious to do so.

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Lane, Crawford And Co., Ltd.

Dividend of 10 percent was ordered yesterday at a meeting of Lane, Crawford and Company, Ltd., stockholders. Mr. James Ambrose was in the chair.

Following the report the following resolutions were adopted:

1.—That the report and accounts be accepted. Proposed by the Chairman and seconded Mr. D. W. Crawford.

2.—That a dividend at the rate of 10 percent on the capitalisation of the company be declared, payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank May 20. Proposed by Mr. Ambrose and seconded by Mr. Crawford.

3—That Mr. Crawford be re-elected as a director of the company. Proposed by Mr. H. H. Reed and seconded by Captain J. P. Lowe.

4—That Messrs. G. H. and N. Thompson be re-elected auditors of the company for the year and that their remuneration be Taels 500 per annum. Proposed by Captain B. H. Gowing and seconded by Mr. H. J. Ambrose.

5—That a vote of thanks be tendered the directors and management for the efficient manner in which the affairs of the company have been administered. Proposed by Mr. Reed and seconded by Captain Lowe.

In his report the Chairman said:

Gentlemen.—The report and accounts for the year ended February 29, 1920, having been in your hands for some time; I will, with your permission, adopt the usual procedure and take them as read.

Your Directors have much pleasure in presenting these accounts as in their opinion they show a satisfactory result of the year's working.

The year under review has furnished many problems as to the best methods to be adopted in the conduct of your business in view of the very great and many variations in Exchange, for as you are all aware it was quite impossible to forecast with any degree of accuracy what Exchange would do from day to day, and in addition to that, the labor unrest and strikes throughout the world, with ever increasing prices in most, if not all, of the commodities in which we deal, made it extremely difficult to shape a course in the best interests of this Company.

Your Directors however believe that the balance sheet presented shows that the difficulties above alluded to have been fairly well surmounted.

I however regret to say that prices of goods at home show no signs of a reduction. In fact, the information we receive from all sources is to the effect that higher prices may be expected.

Government restrictions on exports from home show few if any signs of removal, and this is particularly the case with all food stuffs, thereby preventing us from supplying the needs of our customers.

This however we cannot, unfortunately, avoid; so we endeavor to do the best we can with what is obtainable, and in this connection we have received the best of assistance from the Management and the whole of the Staff, to whom great praise is due.

Turning to the Accounts you will note that working account shows a balance of $97,000.61 as against $133,900.96 last year, or a reduction of $36,900.35. Last year was however a record one and the reduction is not, therefore, to be wondered at.

Land and Buildings still remain in our books at $330,00.00, and your Directors see no reason for a reduction in this item, as $63,087.67 has already been written off in previous years.

Debenture Issue is, the same viz: Taels 240,000.00.

Furniture and Fixtures stand in the balance sheets at $4,000.00. Considerable additions have been made to them during the year and $1,483.91 has been written off, leaving their value as shown, which is considered to be much below their actual value.

Stocks. At the end of our last financial year these stood in our books at $587,003.03, whereas in this year's Balance Sheet they are shown as being worth $518,-348.35 as against their actual cost value in our books of $618,-348.35, which difference I hope to explain to your satisfaction.

You doubtless remember that in the balance sheet presented to you for the year ended February 28, 1917, the sum of $20,000.00 from the profits of that year was allocated to "Stock Reserve." A further sum of $10,000.00 was added to this in 1918, and still further increased by $70,000.00 in 1919 making in all a sum of $100,000.00.

This "Reserve" was first started with the idea that upon the conclusion of hostilities there might be a big "slump" in prices at home which would in all probability leave us with heavy stocks valued in our Books at over their replacing cost and we wished to be in a position to deal with such an eventuality.

That however has not taken place but we are placed in a somewhat similar position by our purchasing large quantities of goods at much lower rates of exchange than has been ruling during the past nine months, with the result that the laid down cost of those goods in our Books is higher than we could have laid them down had they been paid for during the aforesaid nine months, and with a view to putting us in line with our competitors, your Directors decided to apply the $100,000.00 standing at credit of "Stock Reserve" in writing down the Book value of the Stock by that amount and by which our customers will be benefitted to that extent, and I trust our action has your entire approval.

The Item of "Stock Reserve" has in consequence disappeared from the liability side of the Accounts.

Bank Overdraft stands at $157,744.30 or a reduction of $13,071,86 during the year, and I am pleased to say that at date there is still a further reduction.

Sundry Debtors stand at $155,-232.38 a reduction from the previous year of $37,811.81.

The Accounts have all been thoroughly overhauled and every one of at all a doubtful nature has been written off.

General Reserve. It is proposed to increase this year by $5,000.00 and so bring it up to $150,000.00, which is at present considered ample.

Whilst on the subject of Reserves your Directors propose creating a "Reserve for Equalisation of Dividends "by allocating the sum of $40,000.00 out of the Profits of the year under review.

Investment Account has been increased during the year by the purchase of Taels 4,500.00 of our own 6 percent Debentures at what we consider very favorable prices, and our holding of £1,000.0.0 in British National War Bonds has been written down to the rate of exchange ruling February 29 last, the value of our total investments as will be seen from the Balance Sheet being $12,276.77.

From the Report you will see that the balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account amounts to $85,518.66 which it is proposed to deal with as follows:

To pay a Dividend for the year of 10 percent absorbing $25,-000.00; Transfer to General Reserve $5,000.00; Transfer to Equalisation of Dividend Reserve $40,000.00 and to carry forward to New Account $15,518.66.

That, Gentlemen, is all I have to say in connection with the Accounts now before you, but before proposing their adoption, if any Shareholders have any questions to ask I will do my best to answer them.

China Political Notes From Chinese Papers

The members of the Eight Tuchuns' League are opposed to a Chou Shu-mou Cabinet and have jointly circulated a telegram supporting General Chin Yung-peng. The language used was offensive and President Hsu was greatly irritated. He stated he will grant the resignation of General Chin just to test his strength and dignity.

The reply to the Japanese note is considered by General Chin as a revolt of the other Cabinet ministers against him and he is now resolved to retire.

The term of acting was originally fixed by Admiral Sah Chen-ping at ten days. But as the formation of a Cabinet by Mr. Chou Shu-mou has been delayed his term will be prolonged in order to avoid another crisis. Admiral Sah is inclined to consent to the new arrangement and extend his term to one month.

The Ministry of the Interior is paying strict attention to opium suppression. It had delegated representatives to investigate in the different provinces. Those going to Kiangsu, Anhui, Hunan, Kiangsi, Hupeh and Honan have already started their journey.

Rumors of a grave nature are current following the withdrawal of troops by General Wu Pei-fu. Martial law has been declared.

Several divisions of Kwangsi troops in Kwangtung have been recalled by General Lu Yung-ting. The report of a clash between Kwangsi and Yunnan on the Yunnan border has been confirmed.

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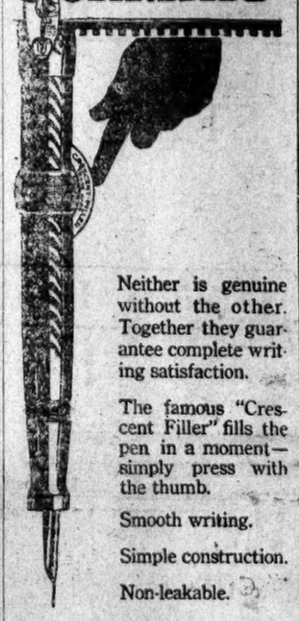

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TUESDAY, May 11

9,600	Badger	1,000	Blue Fox
28,000	House Cat	11,000	White Fox
180	Wolverine	2,100	Cross Fox
		1,200,000	Squirrel

WEDNESDAY, May 12

2,000	Bear	119	Leopard Cat
2,675	Hair Seal	4,600	Reindeer Skins
350	Mountain Lion	550,000	Opossum

THURSDAY, May 13

1,500 Silver Fox

FRIDAY, May 14

16,500	Wild Cat	2,900	Lynx
15,000	Lynx Cat	175,000	Raccoon

SATURDAY, May 15

2,400	Viscachas	180,000	Ermine, White
10,000	Chinchilla Rat.	35,000	Ermine, Grey
2,400	Chinchilla	80,000	Ermine, Brown

MONDAY, May 17

160,000 Mink

TUESDAY, May 18

7,800	Russian Sable	37	Japanese Sable
		7	Sea Otter

WEDNESDAY, May 19

90,000 Red Fox

THURSDAY, May 20

400,000 Skunk

FRIDAY, May 21

157,000	Rabbits (Dutch and Belgian)	1,000	China Pahmi
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4,800	Otter	25,000	Wombat
150,000	Nutria	15,000	Wallaby
1,300	Guanaco	3,200	Kangaroo
		450,000	White Hare

SATURDAY, May 22

550,000	Marmot	1,475	Swift Fox
65,000	Australian Red Fox	22,000	South American Fox
7,000	Macedonian Red Fox		

MONDAY, May 24

800,000	Muskrat	40,000	Muskrat, Black
240,000	Muskrat, Southern	60,000	Seal Dyed Muskrat
		500	Seal Dyed Muskrat Plates

TUESDAY, May 25

150,000	Fitch	2,250,000	Mole
		150,000	Kolinsky

WEDNESDAY, May 26

32,225	Dozen Conies (Sea Lions, Near Seals, Molines)	10,000	Flying Squirrels
		12,000	Goat Rugs
1,500	Sea Lion Plates	140,000	China Dog Mats
200	Near Seal Plates	3,400	China Dog Robes
16,000	China Mink	1,800	Thibet Robes
80,000	Japanese Mink	5,000	Thibets
10,000	Japanese Fox	31,000	Barunduki
7,000	Japanese Marten	6,700	White Kid Skins
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THURSDAY, May 27

16,000	Grey Fox	175,000	Civet Cat
16,000	Ringtail Cat	70,000	Wolf

FRIDAY, May 28

15,000	Russian Ponies	150,000	Australian Ringtail Opossum
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Dates, Raisins, Salmon, Sardines, Apricots, Canned fruits, Peaches, Pears, Jams, Tins Sweet Biscuits, Pickles, Peanuts, Tea, Sugar, Corned Beef, Salt Pork, Bacon, Rice, Flour, Tins Lard, Enamelled Coffee pots, Bowls, Tea pots, Paper bags, Mirrors, Soap, Cigarettes, Tin Buckets, Soap Spoons, Bakery pans, Matches, etc., etc., etc.,

Also

Iron plates, Iron Tubes, Rivets, Tinplates, Corrugated Glan, Double Channels, Iron sheets, and sundries

HOPKINS, DUNN & CO., LTD.

Auctioners.

29665

NOTICE

S.S. "Edmore" from New York

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the China Merchant's Lower Wharf on Saturday, 22nd instant, at 10 a.m. when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler and Reeves will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE,

Agents.

29696

NOTICE

THIS store will be closed on Monday, the 24th instant, Whit-Monday and Empire Day.

HALL & HOLTZ, LTD.

29665

Open for Engagement

An American College graduate with eight years exceptionally broad business, administrative and export experience, will be open for engagement July 1st.

Position wanted with foreign firm in executive or marketing capacity, preferably in Shanghai or South. Position must offer present as well as future; no blue sky propositions are desired.

The Advertiser can handle and will consider only a large proposition, and will be glad to arrange an interview with anyone who has such to offer. Apply to Box 824, THE CHINA PRESS.

29628

The International Recreation Club

KIANGWAN RACES

65th MEETING.

22nd and 24th May, 1920 (Saturday and Monday)

1st Saddling Bell at 1.30 and 2.00 p.m. sharp respectively.

MEMBERS and OWNERS are requested to wear their respective Badges.

ENTRANCE TICKETS: $1.00 each, obtainable at the Gate.

SPECIAL TRAINS: 11.50 a.m. 12.40 p.m. 1.15 p.m. 2.00 p.m.

SPECIAL CAR SERVICE: Motor Cars will leave the Central Garage 2A. Jinkee Road, every minute from noon.

TIFFINS and REFRESHMENTS will be served at the Race Course.

By Order,

Y. S. DAY,

Secretary.

29658

NOTICE

Please take notice that Windford Woo has this day terminated his services with the undersigned and is no longer authorised to sign on behalf of or conduct any business for this concern.

The International Trading Co.

By S. S. KINGSLEY.

Dated: Shanghai, May 18th, 1920.

29653

Customs Notification

No. 942

Transit Outwards: Bond in Lieu of Cash Deposit for Goatskins

Acting under instructions of the Inspector General of Customs, I hereby notify the public that a cash deposit for goatskins brought from the interior under San-lien-tan will no longer be required when paying the transit dues on the goods. The merchant will be required, instead of a deposit, to hand in a bond, undertaking to make good two and a half times the Export duty on the cargo brought from the interior, in the event of the cargo not being exported abroad within the prescribed time limit.

L. A. LYALL,

Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOMS HOUSE,

Shanghai, 20th May, 1920.

29697

LOST

A deposit receipt No. 3/3 for U. S. $2,875.08 due and payable on Jan. 12th, 1921, issued by The American-Oriental Banking Corporation to Koh Zao Kee has been lost or stolen. The issuing bank has been duly notified of its loss and the public is hereby warned not to negotiate the said Deposit Receipt, the said Bank having cancelled the same.

29695

JESSFIELD HOTEL

Re-opened

Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board, hot and cold meals served at all hours. First-class beverages only. Moderate prices.

29516

Shanghai Rowing Club

SPRING REGATTA AT HENLI

22nd and 23rd May, 1920.

PROGRAMME.

Saturday.

3.30 p.m. Griffin Fours.
4.00 ,, International Fours.
4.30 ,, Griffin Pairs (1st Heat).
5.00 ,, Griffin Pairs (2nd Heat).
5.30 ,, Junior Sculls.

Sunday.

10.30 a.m. Motor Boat Race.
11.00 ,, Griffin Pairs Final.
11.30 ,, Veterans Race.
12.00 ,, International Eights.
1.30 p.m. Sailing Sampan Race.
3.00 ,, Junior-Senior Fours.
3.30 ,, Mixed Fours.
4.30 ,, International Pairs.

TRAIN SERVICE.

Saturday.

Special leaves Shanghai 12.20 p.m.
arrives Henli 1.27 ,,
Special leaves Henli 7.13 ,,
arrives Shanghai 8.30 ,,

Sunday.

Special leaves Shanghai 8.15 a.m
arrives Henli 9.18 ,,
Special leaves Henli 8.43 p.m.
arrives Shanghai 9.55 ,,

FARES

Return Fares $3.00

Competitors may obtain their tickets (special fares) from the Club's Shroff, who will be at the Shanghai Station half an hour before the departure of the trains.

General Arrangements.

By the courtesy of the Railway Authorities arrangements have been made to have sleeping cars stationed at Henli during the Regatta.

Sleeping Berths may be reserved on application to the undersigned.

Meals will be served on dining coach on railway siding.

Houseboat Moorings.

Members and visitors requiring houseboat berths are requested to make early application to the undersigned.

Stations will be allotted in the order in which applications are received.

By order of the Committee

J. R. HARDER.

Hon. Secretary.

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ARRIVALS

Piper Heidsieck
PIPER SEC AMERICAN 1914
Champagne (Reims)

Heidsiecks
MONOPOLE (RED TOP)
Champagne (Reims)

Heerings
CHERRY BRAND
(Copenhagen)

Cusenier's
CREME DE CACAO
(Marseille)

LOITEN'S
AQUAVIT (10 AAR)
(Kristania)

United Distilleries
OLD LIQUEUR GENEVA
Dutch Gun (Schiedam)

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GARNER, QUELCH & CO.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2715.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.

Amount £750,000

Price of Issue £100 per cent.

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 percent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 percent in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24n Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

Secretary.

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

29333

FOR AMERICAN, BRITISH AND CHINESE,

METALS, HARDWARE & SUNDRIES

PHONE OR WRITE TO

W. Z. ZEE & SONS

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Wanted: Situation by *Salesman* (American) in sales or advertising dep't or office. Three years travel south China, competent French language, can speak Cantonese, willing, steady, sober A-1 references. Will accept moderate salary. No objections to outports.

This ad. specimen of copy and layouts.

Communication this paper Box 839.

29660

CHICKENS WANTED

At Jessfield Park.

Two hundred hungry sailors and as many more American residents of Shanghai expect to eat fried chicken at the American Song Service picnic at Jessfield Park Saturday afternoon, May 22, at 4 o'clock. Those who will provide one or more fried chickens for this occasion will help things on by telephoning North 237 immediately.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

We have removed our office to

20 MUSEUM ROAD

National Bible Society of Scotland

Wm. E. SOUTER,

Secretary for China.

29654

Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association

The Foreign Exchange Bankers which are members of the above Association, will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on 24th May on account of Whit Monday holiday.

29672

NOTICE

THE members of the Theosophical Society are notified that, beginning with May 20th (Thursday), meetings will be held weekly at No. 3 Gordon Road, at 5.30 p.m. sharp.

Non-members wishing to attend will please communicate with the Secretary, China Merchants' Eastern Wharf, Pootung.

29668

The Yangtsze Insurance Association, Limited

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

A Dividend at the rate of Twenty percent, being Twenty Dollars per Share, on the Paid-up Capital of the above Association, has been declared payable, in Taels, at Exchange 73, at the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China or the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shanghai, on and after this date, to Shareholders on the Record on the 7th May, 1920.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. S. JACKSON,

General Manager.

Shanghai, 15th May, 1920.

29593

LOST

A Bank Order, No. 2507, for Taels 2,800, issued by the Ching Cheong Bank (慎昌莊), due on the 10th day of 4th moon, has been lost. The public are hereby warned against accepting or negotiating the said order, as it has been nullified and payment stopped at the Bank concerned. A similar notice is also appearing in the North China Daily News, Sin Wan Pao and Shun Pao.

TUNG SHING CHEONG.

東興昌啓

Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

29667

LOST

A Boston Bulldog about two years old, with collar on.

Reward given to finder by Communicating with

H. F. HU,

121, Weihaiwei Road.

29649

PRODUCTS CORPORATION OF AMERICA.

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29616

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SITUATIONS VACANT

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WANTED a compradore: Businessman, with sound connections in Europe and America, with firm business in hand, wants a compradore. Modest capital required. Attractive proposition for the right man. Answer, stating full particulars, to Box 851, THE CHINA PRESS.

29687 M. 22

WANTED, a competent stenographer, preferably American, for temporary service (till July 31). State qualifications in application. Interview by appointment only. American School Campaign Committee, 20 Museum Road.

29666 M. 23

WANTED, bright young man, American or other foreigner, for American firm. Apply to Box 835, THE CHINA PRESS.

29648 M. 21

WANTED, competent stenographer for large American firm. State experience and salary expected. Apply to Box 789, THE CHINA PRESS.

29557

MISCELLANEOUS

PARTNER WANTED for canning business. Excellent opportunity for energetic Chinese. Apply to Box 840, THE CHINA PRESS.

29661 M. 22

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

TO LET, over 900 square feet of office space at the new Y.M.C.A. National Building, 2 Hongkong Road. Please apply to Mr. S. E. Hening, 20 Musuem Road.

29684 M. 23

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

APARTMENTS

Connaught House

8 Quinsan Gardens

Board—Residence

Apply

MRS. G. POLLOCK.

TO LET, with board, for immediate occupation, furnished flat, comprising two large rooms, small room, and private bath. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Telephone, garage, stabling, and tennis court. Apply to Box 778, THE CHINA PRESS.

TO LET, with board, large well-furnished room, verandah and bathroom attached. Apply 3 Young Allen Terrace.

29657

TO LET, well-furnished rooms with board and all conveniences at 78 Bubbling Well Road, Telephone West 1473.

29691 M. 27

ADULT American family will consider single American gentleman as paying guest. Room and board. Apply to Box 853, THE CHINA PRESS.

29689 M. 22

PENTION bourgeoise gives board and lodging or only board if required. Apply 22A North Szechuen Road.

TO LET, comfortable furnished room with board, $120 per month. Apply Sagamachi P. O. Box 6, Tsingtao.

29613 M. 21

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED to rent house, French concession. Occupation November 1st, one year lease. Apply to Box 854, THE CHINA PRESS.

29690

WANTED to rent, furnished modern house or flat, four to six rooms, bath, kitchen and servants' quarters. Immediate occupation desirable. Apply, with full particulars, to Box 841, THE CHINA PRESS.

29662 M. 22

WANTED, immediate possession, or from 1st June, furnished flat, preferably with three rooms, bath and kitchen. Central or western district. Apply to Box 847, THE CHINA PRESS.

29675 M. 23

WANTED, furnished six-roomed house, western district preferred. Four to six months or longer, beginning on June 1st. Apply to Box 820, THE CHINA PRESS.

29624 M. 23

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, for July and August, a furnished house with garden, four rooms and attic, situated in Dixwell Road (five minutes walk from Hongkew Park), south aspect, with verandahs, two bathrooms, kitchen and servants' quarters, gas, electric light. Tls. 60 per month. Please apply to Box 844, THE CHINA PRESS.

29669 M. 22

TO LET, No. 17 Arsenal Road, large, semi-foreign residence. Beautiful garden, available immediately. Can be leased for one or two years. Rental Tls. 150 per month. Apply China Realty Co., Ltd.

29458

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LEARN ANOTHER LANGUAGE: Increase commercial opportunities, form new acquaintances, add to advantages of travel by learning another language. I.C.S. method with new Edison Phonograph and special texthooks, interesting, easy, convenient and economical. Practical conversational lessons. No tiresome memorizing of uninteresting rules. Begin conversing with first few lessons. Perfect pronunciation and unlimited practice. You will learn quickly to speak fluently, read understandingly and think logically. We teach French, Spanish and Italian. Also English to Chinese. Write for interesting catalog. Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, Chinese P. O. Box No. 1.

FRENCH taught to children or adults by experienced young French lady. Apply to Box 849, THE CHINA PRESS.

29679 M. 22

WELL-educated Russian lady desires to exchange lessons with English-speaking lady. Apply to Box 843, THE CHINA PRESS.

29664 M. 22

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERT Chinese bookkeeper, able to instal set of books to suit business, open for immediate engagement at moderate salary. Apply to Box 859, THE CHINA PRESS.

YOUNG lady seeks position as steno-typist. Experienced. Apply to Box 852, THE CHINA PRESS.

29688 M. 23

FOREIGNER requires position. Experienced in accountancy. Apply to Box 855, THE CHINA PRESS.

29692

EUROPEAN engineer, experienced auto-repair-man, wants position; is willing to do all kinds of work in mechanics. Apply to Box 845, THE CHINA PRESS.

29670 M. 22

COMPETENT young man (married), with nine years' business experience in the East, is open for immediate engagement in any outport office. Speaks several languages and well versed in exports, correspondence, codes, insurance, accounts, shipping and all branches of general office routine. Capable of taking charge of a department. Apply to Box 842, THE CHINA PRESS.

29663 M. 22

EXPERT accountant, American, at present re-organising accounting system of large local firm, is open for permanent engagement, from June. Apply to Box 830, THE CHINA PRESS.

29643 M. 21

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED. Bachelor requires comfortable room, either boarding house or private family. Central or western district. Apply to Box 850, THE CHINA PRESS.

29686 M. 23

WANTED, by young bachelor, furnished room with full board in private family. Terms moderate. Apply to Box 856, THE CHINA PRESS.

29694 M. 23

WANTED small furnished flat, with kitchen and bathroom, by married couple, no children, central district or near. Willing to pay from 50 to 75 taels per month. Apply to Box 818, THE CHINA PRESS.

29612

EXCHANGE AND MART

CODES and Cypher Tables for sale, which ones do you want? Apply to Box 838, THE CHINA PRESS.

29659

FOR SALE, one International Savings Society Bond, $288 paid. Accept $150. Apply to Box 857, THE CHINA PRESS.

29693 M. 23

WANTED to buy following codes, must be new or practically new, state price and condition: A. B. C., Fifth, improved. Kendall's 12 figure. Apply to Box 837, THE CHINA PRESS.

29659

MOTOR houseboat wanted, in good condition. Price must be moderate. Apply to Box 846, THE CHINA PRESS.

29674 M. 21

WANTED to lease, one or two mow of vacant land for storage purposes, close to water front. Apply to Box 848, THE CHINA PRESS.

29676 M. 26

WANTED, to hire one Auto-moving Picture Machine for 4 days on reasonable terms. Applicants please apply to Vee Kee and Co., P. 426 Nanking Road.

29656 M. 21

FOR SALE, six-cylinder Columbia touring car, in excellent condition, newly overhauled, with full equipment and new winter top. Price moderate. Apply to 6 Nanyang Road.

29646 M. 21

FOR SALE, four berths in one cabin in s.s. Porthos for Colombo, this trip. Apply to Box 836, THE CHINA PRESS.

29651 M. 22

FOR SALE, very comfortable houseboat with two cabins, four bunks, kitchen, cooking stove and W. C. Also motor tender for towing same. All ready for immediate use. Apply to Box 834, THE CHINA PRESS.

29645 M. 25

FOR SALE, Crossley (English) gas engine, 20/22 h.p., complete with tank etc.; almost new. Apply Watson's Mineral Water Co., 134 North Szechuen Road.

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Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

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The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
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Hongkong	Penang	Burma)
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Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

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C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital ..... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve ..... Frs. 50,000,000.00

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L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

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P. C. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

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G. H. STITT,
Acting Manager.

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Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	**Kup-Tls. 3,500,000**
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

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Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

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The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ...	$1,208,522.60
Special Reserve Fund	$1,898,393.68

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
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Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
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SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
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Paid-up Capital .. Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 12,027,956

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London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangemements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed: £1,000,000
Capital paid up £850,000

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S.Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ... $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 435,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIH, Sub-Manager.
C. C. YANG, Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK,

Capital, Surplus, and Undivided Profits over U.S. $10,000,000.

Head Office:
National City Bank Building,
55 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E. C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan
San Francisco Office:
332 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Shanghai	Philippines
	Peking	Cebu
	Tientsin	Manila
	Tsingtau	Straits Settlements
	Hankow	Singapore
	Hongkong	Dominican Republic
	Canton	Santo Domingo
Manchuria	Harbin	San Pedro de Macoris
India	Bombay	Sanchez
	Calcutta	Santiago
	Rangoon	Puerto Plata
Japan	Yokohama	Panama
	Kobe	Panama
Java	Batavia	Colon
	Soerabaya	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Buenos Aires	Uruguay
	Once (Buenos Aires)	Montevideo
	Rosario	Venezuela
Belgium	Antwerp	Caracas
	Brussels	Maracaibo
Spain	Madrid	Siberia
	Barcelona	Vladivostok
Brazil	Bahia	Italy
	Pernambuco	Genoa
	Porto Alegre	Porto Rico
	Rio de Janeiro	San Juan
	Santos	Colombia
	Sao Paulo	Medellin
Chile	Santiago	Russia
	Valparaiso	Moscow
Ponce	Porto Rico	Petrograd
		South Africa
		Cape Town
		Trinidad
		Port of Spain

Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 81,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office & Branches;
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimen, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies;
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokio, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.

Telephone: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephone: C. 2147, General Office.
CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCITY.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Penang
Bandoeng	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kota-Radjja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
Pekalongan	Tegal
Makassar	Telok-Beton
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevredon
Palombang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital ..	£1,500,000
Paid up Capital.....	750,000
Reserve Fund.....	750,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	(Calcutta)	New York
Colombo	Kandy	Penang
Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis
Galle	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Hongkonk	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
		Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
26 The Bund.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	„ 150,000,000
Capital paid up ..	„ 75,000,000
Reserve	„ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS
BRANCHES:
Marseilles, New York, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton Foochow, Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted. Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

ASIA
BANKING CORPORATION

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000

AN AMERICAN BANK

Head Office: New York City
Head Office for the Far East: Shanghai
Corner Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads

Cables: BANKASIA Tel. C. 1825

Other Branch Offices:
CANTON, CHANGSHA, HANKOW, HONGKONG, MANILA, PEKING and TIENTSIN

Complete Banking Facilities
Direct Personal Service

Interest on Deposit subject to check, also on time deposits. Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit

BILLS OF EXCHANGE
Bought, Sold, Negotiated or Collected
Financing of Shipments: Mail or Cable Payments and Transfers

RESEARCH BUREAU

STOCKHOLDING BANKS
Anglo and London, Paris National Bank, San Francisco
Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)

Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinatti

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
S441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manger
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION
FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000

HEAD OFFICE, NEW YORK

Owned and controlled By
The National Park Bank, New York Union Bank of Canada

BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
PARIS TOKYO YOKOHAMA

SHANGHAI BRANCH: 1 Kiukiang Road. Telephone C. 1174

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK, LTD.

Head Office: 9 NINGPO ROAD
Hongkew Branch: 15 N. SZECHUEN ROAD

Your saving account with this Bank is worth 100 cents on the dollar all the time plus 4 per cent interest compounded semi-annually.

Our pamphlet "HOW TO SAVE" supplied upon request.

Telephones:

Head Office	*Hongkew Branch*
C. 4522 C. 4523	N. 1115
Banking Department	Foreign Department
Savings Department	Trust Department

Branches and agencies in all principal cities.

Large Display Advertisements
intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before **5 p.m. on Friday**

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $2,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

LI TSE FONG,
Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on May 18, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	26-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	18-20
Cod	„	14-16
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	18-20
Pomfret	„	18-20
Salmon	„	none
Samli	„	40-60
Soles	„	14-16
Whitebait	„	12-14
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	60-80
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	15-17
Fowl	per lb.	22-24
Geese	each	80-$1.00
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	18-20
Quail	„	none
Snipe	„	15-18
Teal	„	14-16
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	40-45
Wild Duck	„	none
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	10-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	20-25
Bananas	„	10-12
Cherries	„	20-25
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	15-20
Oranges	per lb.	16-20
Peaches	„	none
Pears	„	14-16
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	10-12
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	„	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	40-60
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	3-8
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	6-8
Cabbage	each	5-10
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	16-20
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	„	16-20
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	40-50
Onions	„	3-4
Parsnips	per bunch	5-8
Peas	per lb.	5-6
Potatoes	per picul	$4.00-4.50
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	6-8
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour, Australian	„	$4.00
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.50
Rice	200 lb.	9.60
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 17.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE
For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per P.M. s.s. Venezuela May 23
Per C.M. s.s. China May 26
For Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Novara May 22
For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata M. May 21

MAILS DUE
From U.S. and Canada
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Asia May 23
From Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Delta May 21
From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado M. May 22

-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ..	$575 B.
Chartered	£80
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 445
North China	Tls. 160
Union of Canton .	Hk. 180
Yangtsze	$245
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 20
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$188
Hongkong Fire ..	$300 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. ..	$200 B.
Indo-China Pref. .	$19½
"Shell"	210/—B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 55 S.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 34½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 18.65
Oriental Cons. ...	17/—
Raub	$1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock ..	Tls. 151 B.
Shanghai Dock ...	Tls. 131
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 27 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ..	Tls. 150 B.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 86 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 69 B.
China Land	Tls. 80
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 62 B.
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 8
S'hai Hotels Ltd..	Tls. 30 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 650 B.
E-wo Pref	Tls. 77½
Laou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 400
Oriental	Tls. 225 B.
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 400
Kungyik	Tls. 63 B.
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 44½ B.
Yangtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 75
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 227 B.
Green Island	Tls. 7 B.
Langkats	Tls. 17½
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 75 B.
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	Tls. 12½
Licwellyn	$20
Lane, Crawford ...	Tls. 90 B.
Moutrie	$32
Watson	Tls. 6.10 S.
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 5¾ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 8 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3½
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 19
Batu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.65 B.
Bukit Toh Alang .	Tls. 1½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.50 B.
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.85
Chempedak	Tls. 5
Cheng	Tls. 1¼ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2¼ B.
Dominion	Tls. 5.60
Gula Kalumpong .	Tls. 5 B.
Java Consolidated.	Tls. 12½
Kamunting	Tls. 4 B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.60
Kapayang	Tls. 9½ B.
Karan	Tls. 8.10
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 3 B.
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls. 10½ B.
Padang	Tls. 7
Pengkalan Durian .	Tls. 3 B.
Permata	Tls. 1 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.55
Samagaga	Tls. 0.60 B.
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.60 B.
Senawang	Tls. 4½ B.
Shanghai Klebang .	Tls. 0.55
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 3 B.
S'hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 10
Shanghai Pahang .	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala	Tls. 6¼ B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.50
S'hai Kalantas ...	Tls. 0.40 B.
S'hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.90 B.
Taiping ..... Tls.	Tls. 0.65
Tanah Merah	Tls. 14½
Tebong	Tls. 2½
Tlobri	Tls. 4½ B.
Tiangbe	
Miscellaneous	
C. I & E. Lumber .	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 12 S.
Shanghai Trams ..	Tls. 69
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 14 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 34
Shanghai Mercury .	Tls 25
S'hai Telephone ..	Tls. 74
S'hai Waterworks .	Tls. 102 B.

S. Sellers. Ss. Sales. B. Buyers.

PARIS EXCHANGE
(French Wireless Service)

Paris, May 19.—Exchange quotations:

London	51.00
New York	13.44
Belgium	103.25
Spain	224.45
Italy	69.25
Switzerland	232.25
French War Loans:	
3 percent	59.95
4 percent 1918	71.30
5 percent	87.75
5 percent 1920	195.00

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Is it your family,

or

A Life Assurance Office?

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HEAD OFFICE:
10 Canton Road, Shanghai.

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 5/11=Tls. 3.38
@ exch. 73.3=Mex. $4.61

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 113¼=Tls. 0.88
@ 73.3=Mex. $1.20

Mex. Dollars; Market Rate: 72.9875

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 201

Bar Silver 998 touch ...Tls. 111

Copper Cash ...per tael 188.500

Native Interest ..... Tls. 09

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver	58¼d.
Bank Rate of Discount	7%
Ex., Paris on London	Fr. 51
Ex., New York on London T.T.	G.$3.81¼

Exchange Opening Quotations

London	T.T.	5/11
London	Demand	5/11¼
India	T.T.	281½
Paris	T.T.	1510
Paris	Demand	1513
New York	T.T.	113
New York	Demand	113¼
Hongkong	T.T.	72½
Japan	T.T.	44¼
Batavia	T.T.	299
Singapore	T.T.	39

All Nominal

Bank's Buying Rates

London	Demand	6/1½
London	4 m/s. Cdts.	6/3½
London	4 m/s. Docy.	6/3¾
London	6 m/s. Cdts.	6/4¾
London	6 m/s. Docy.	6/5
Paris	4 m/s.	1660
New York	o/d. Docy.	117
New York	4 m/s. Docy.	123¾

Tourists' Exchange
@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 6/1½= Sh. Tls. 32.65

G.$50 @ exch. 117= Sh. Tls. 42.70

Fr. 250 @ exch. 1590= Sh. Tls. 15.72

1 Shanghai Tael=Mex. $1.36 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 4,300 ..... =Tls. 100
" 100 ..... =Mex. $3.19

ROUBLES EXCHANGE
Today's Bank Buying Rate
For Roubles

Roubles 16,000 ..... =Tls 100
" 100 ..... =Mex. $0.85
Norminal

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying:	100 Old	Roubles	$1.45
"	100 New	"	$ .85
Selling:	100 Old	"	$1.50
"	100 New	"	$ .90

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MAY .....

Hk. Tls.	2.86	@ 6/3¼	£1
"	1	@ 2033	Fr. 22.65
"	0.75	@ 120¼	Gold $1
"	1	@ 41¼	Yen. 2.70
"	1	@ 273½	Rs. 3.05
"	1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
"	1	@ —	Roubles —

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

OFFICIAL
Java Consolidated Tls. 11.00
Kamunting Tls. 4.25
Shanghai Docks Tls. 131.00
Kung Yik Cotton Tls. 63.50

UNOFFICIAL
Pengkalan Tls. 3.50

Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

LOCAL YARN:
Water-Moon 16/20's.
Tls. 169.50 May
Tls. 168.50 June
Local Yarn for Standard: 16's.
Tls. 155.00 July
Local Yarn for Standard: 20's.
Tls. 179.00 August

ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL
TIENTSIN

Cable Address
ASTOR

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FINANCE AND MONEY MAIKET

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IMPORTS

Piece Goods:—We have to report a very quiet but firm market with no sales. Prices for Whites are especially strong.

Yarn:—There was some enquiry for 16's and 20's for forward shipment, also for 16's from stock, the latter at prices which may result in business.

EXPORTS

The market is quiet and price remain about the same as last reported.

Freight Market

In their report dated May 20, Messrs. Wheeler and Co. write as follows:

The situation in our Outward Freight markets is as follows:

To United Kingdom and Continent:—This market has remained quiet during the past fortnight and there is little offering except for the regular run of export business, despite the fall in exchange.

To United States via Pacific and via Panama and Suez:—There is no change to report on these berths, and except for a certain amount of cargo from the outports there is practically nothing offering locally.

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	1920	1919
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Loss by currency depreciation	12,782.48	9,313.97
Effective receipts	$35,872.00	$28,461.30
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	27.55	25.93
Car miles run	93,716	87,230
Passenger carried	2,182,453	1,733,826

Coal Market

Messrs. Wheelock and Co. write as follows in their report dated May 20:

Japan Coal:—This market has been very quiet during the past fortnight which is not to be wondered at in view of the recent decline in exchange but the local silk filatures are expected to reopen next month with the advent of the new cocoon season's crops and this should have a beneficial effect on the market.

The market in Japan has weakened somewhat for second and third grade dust coals but the prices for first quality dust and lump coals continue firm.

Fushun Coal:—We are glad to be able to report that these mines seem to have recovered from the disastrous explosions which occurred some three years ago and as the output has now been considerably increased there is a certain amount available for export but owing to exchange and the high cost of producing it is difficult to do business locally.

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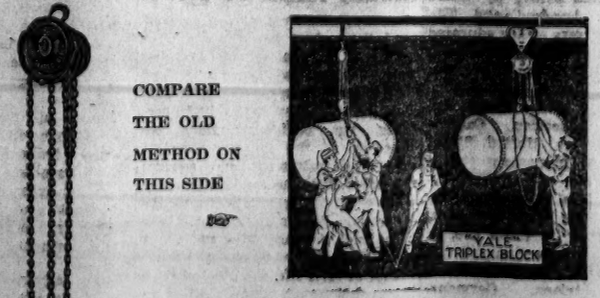

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WEATHER

Overcast weather. Showers, and perhaps thunder at intervals. Light and variable breezes, with mist along the whole coast.

Foreign Trade Prospects

AT last the Federal Reserve Board has issued rules for the organisation of corporations to transact foreign trade under the Edge bill, says The New York Times. It had been expected that the corporations would be mostly trading concerns, but the present signs are that most emphasis will be placed on banking and finance institutions. In the words of Federal Reserve Governor Harding, the rules "provide for the establishment of a Federal system of international banking or financial corporations, with powers sufficiently broad to enable them to compete with similar foreign institutions and to afford the American exporter and importer at all times a means of financing his foreign business."

The rules authorise a general discount and deposit business limited to foreign trade, and promise a larger business in acceptances than has hitherto resulted from efforts to promote it through other institutions. Much attention is given to safeguarding the American character of the corporations and to close oversight by the Federal Reserve by requiring semi-annual reports and otherwise. The War Finance Corporation is our left bower in this business, and its managing director, as these Edge rules appear, announces that it has granted loans of $30,000,000 and has assisted other business by its recommendations and readiness to make loans not otherwise securable. Mr. Meyer mentions some of the business presented to the War Finance Corporation which would have enabled it to enlarge its loans, and concludes that the corporation has not been lacking in courage and that it has accommodated all applicants that its conscience allowed.

With this record of accomplishment as the result of many months' effort it is only necessary to compare what other and weaker nations have been doing to see how great a start they have gained. There was presented to Chile last week a British offer for a million tons of saltpetre, and a Brussels cable announced negotiations with England for a loan of £5,000,000. The British Board of Trade received also last week a proposal of underwriters to accept responsibility for 75 percent of the debts due consignors of goods for export, they to carry the remaining 25 percent, including their profits. British capitalists are considering the purchase of a controlling interest in the National Bank of Latvia, and a credit to that new democracy of £15,000,000, secured upon natural resources and national monopolies. Lithuania had previously put its finances in the hands of Englishmen. It is easy to see who will do the business of that region. Our Department of Commerce announced that the British Government granted a credit of £26,000,000 for financing 80 percent of the value of British exports to various European countries. Within a fortnight Brazil allowed to Italy a credit of $25,000,000 for the purchase of Brazilian goods. Argentina has under consideration a German application for the addition of $100,000,000 to the $200,000,000 credits to other European countries already pending before the Senate of Argentina, all to be spent for Argentine products.

Of course, we are not altogether idle because our foreign trade instruments are not yet sharpened, or even have not had their handles fitted. The branch of foreign trade in which we shine is in the supply of necessaries of life which cannot be got elsewhere on any terms. Thus last week representatives of Czecho-Slovakia arranged a credit for $50,000,000 worth of cotton, to be paid for in goods woven there and returned in payment for the raw material. Also, there were arranged large credits for the export of copper. It would seem that we might do business like that by the hundreds of millions rather than by scores, but our attention is directed to domestic affairs. Thus an oil company sold $35,000,000 of notes and an electric company $25,000,000, and there was one day when such business reached several scores of millions.

It is futile to say that we lack the ability to do foreign trade when such financing is managed despite all efforts to discourage speculation. There need be no jealousy of these foreign activities. There is business enough just now for all, literally billions. But the early starters will get the best of it, and will make customers against the time when trade will be slower. The struggle between the pound and the dollar will be then rather than now. We have not reaped either the financial prestige or the profits which we might and should have realised, and there is even some cause for saying that we are risking our financial leadership as we have sacrificed our moral leadership. To propose a billion dollar loan to Germany, according to the bill of Representative Smith, while stopping the credit of our allies with the end of hostilities, and demanding repayment of loans in gold in their straitened credit, is neither magnificent nor business of which to be proud. The practical denial of access to our money market by such borrowers as England and France, who scorn to ask relief from the necessity of sending us gold by the shipload, and while we are defying the advice of our banking leaders to restrict speculative excesses, is not a policy of which we shall boast hereafter.

The Next War

(New York Times)

"There is but little hope of ending war," says Major Gen. Sir George Aston of the British Army in an article in The Nineteenth Century, "How the Next War Will Be Fought," but he adds that "if the League of Nations is able to exert overwhelming pressure upon offenders against the 'conscience of civilisation' there may be hope of making the conduct of war less horrible." The next war on a great scale, if hostilities cannot be prevented or checked, will be appallingly horrible," he believes. A great industrial nation "acting upon the principles of Clausewitz and the German War Book" would destroy whole cities with the malefic resources of chemistry, poison gas and explosives, used "within petrol radius of aircraft." Adequate defense would be very difficult, practically impossible, as anti-aircraft guns would be found a poor protection, and the airships of the attacked city could not always anticipate the coming of the assailants traveling at a speed of considerably more than 100 miles an hour by night as well as by day. General Aston puts the problem of defense in this way: "Progress in facilities for attack is (now) made by miles, while the defense progresses by inches." The casualties among the civilians who are non-combatants, men, women and children, will be enormous, in his opinion, in a war waged by "nations which place no limit upon violence in conducting war, while acknowledging no higher law, when seeking for quarrel, than the law of might."

In future the countries within petrol radius of a nation accessible to attack will have to be watched narrowly. Many thousands of airships, dirigibles and planes, would be needed by the enemy that had planned that nation's conquest, but aircraft can be rapidly manufactured today where there are great industrial plants to turn out parts. Whether the point of view is hypocritical or not, the German War Book argues that ruthlessness is mercy when the casualties are counted. General Aston suggests that the argument be followed out to its logical conclusion:

> "Suppose," we can imagine the authors of the German War Book saying, "suppose that we had been more brutal, rather than less brutal, than we were in the last war. Suppose that aviation had made the progress before 1914 that it has made since. Suppose that we Germans had been far ahead of all other nations in the science, in equipment and in trained pilots. Suppose that on the night of August 4-5 we had slain by bombs, explosive and incendiary, or poisoned by heavy invisible gas, the bulk of the population of London. Should we not thereby have shortened the war? Should we not have saved much of the widespread and long-drawn-out horror of it all? Would not the total loss of life, man, woman and child, in the world have been far lighter?" They might even add: "Is it not more merciful in the end to wipe out whole families, rather than to kill the best of their manhood only, leaving the terrible gaps in each family life?"

The combatant nation not equipped with a modern aircraft organisation ready to the minute would be beaten in advance by a nation that was fully prepared to wage war in the air. The campaign would be brief, and the chief sufferers would be, not the soldiers and sailors of the weaker nation, but the inhabitants of cities. If the weaker nation should be Great Britain, how could it hold out after London had been destroyed by bombs and poison gas, its streets laid waste, its people stifled or mutilated in their houses? The other day an ex-squadron commander of the Aviation Corps wrote in a letter to The London Times:

> It is in Germany that the most marked progress has been made (since the war). Large twin or multi-engined machines now carry mails from Berlin to Munich, Vienna, Dresden, Leipzig, Weimar, Hamburg, Hanover, Dortmund, Gelsenkirchen and Duisburg, and a considerable number of passenger services are in operation or in course of preparation.

Germany intends to be ready with a vast air fleet if she can fight another war—of "revenge" against France, of destruction and elimination against the British Empire. In England they know the danger and are not neglecting their air service. But Germany, whose factories were not touched by the war, has a long lead over France in the potentiality of air-fleet making. True, the Peace Treaty limits Germany in this direction for some time to come. The lesson for the United States in the competition between Great Britain and Germany for control of the air in Europe is too plain to need emphasising. Three thousand miles of water are a security at present for this country, or perhaps it were better said that the ocean would prove a handicap to a European aggressor. But invention removes difficulties rapidly in these days and the developments in aviation are almost magical. The American Navy is not secure from attack from the air even today, nor can it be defended effectively.

General Aston says that "the final attitude of the United States toward the League ideals is awaited by the whole world with intense interest." By ratifying the Treaty and accepting the covenant it can bring a mighty force to bear upon the international situation to prevent war in most cases and to help to make the conduct of war less horrible, if it cannot be averted, by acting promptly with the League's police force.

If Death Is Kind

(From The Century)

Perhaps if Death is kind, and there
can be returning,
We shall come back to earth
some fragrant night,
And take these lanes to find the
sea, and, bending,
Breathe the same honeysuckle,
low and white.

We shall come down at night to
these resounding beaches
And the long, gentle thunder of
the sea;
Here for a single hour in the wide
star-light
We shall be happy, for the dead
are free.

SARA TEASDALE

Cherished Graves In France

A Visit To One Of The Little Cemeteries Where Our Soldier Dead Lie Buried

By BENJAMIN STRONG
(Governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York).

Since the war ended articles have appeared from time to time in the daily papers relating to a project to bring home the bodies of American soldiers who were buried in France. I had wondered how the plan had originated, and have been told, although it may be that the statement is somewhat exaggerated, that there is some element of commercialism in the suggestion. Difficult as it is to believe, it is said that this agitation comes from some who hope by reason of their business to gain for themselves some commercial advantage or profit.

It has led me to think that it may be of some interest to the parents and relatives of these boys who gave their lives in a great cause to read of an experience which I had last Summer in motoring along the front in France.

Before sailing for Europe, I had received a letter from an associate whose only son, a Lieutenant in the Aviation Corps, was killed in the region of Chateau-Thierry in August, 1918, asking if I could conveniently visit the cemetery where his boy was buried and advise him of the conditions which I found there.

I left Paris on August 2, 1919, driving up the valley of the Marne to Chateau-Thierry. After passing through a part of this beautiful country, just beyond the city of Meaux, we left the main road to make a short detour to the village of Jouarre, where my friend's son is buried in the grounds of the Chateau de Pereuse. It is a peaceful and lovely spot, on high ground, overlooking one of the most delightful scenes in France. The chateau had been occupied by the Germans before the Battle of the Marne and used for military purposes. It was not damaged perceptibly and was recovered by the French, who used it as a hospital. My friend's son was brought there after being shot down and died at the chateau.

I was particularly interested in satisfying myself that the parents of our boys who lost their lives abroad need have no anxiety as to the respect and affection with which these burial places are cared for by the French. And what I found at the Chateau de Pereuse I found likewise at three other cemeteries that I visited.

We were met at the gate by the daughter of the caretaker of the place (the family being away). She took us at once to a little field on one side of the chateau, which I judge had formerly been an orchard, and here were buried 72 French soldiers, 19 American soldiers, 1 French officer and 1 American officer—the boy whose grave I went to see. This little graveyard was laid out with the most painstaking care. Gravel walks surrounded each grave, and each group of graves, and had newly planted borders of boxwood.

At the time of my visit the flowers were in bloom and every grave was covered with a mantle of flowering violets.

The graves of all of the French soldiers were grouped at the left, the American soldiers at the right, and between, lying side by side, were the graves of the two boy officers—French and American, over the grave of Lieutenant Galland was a cross, with the Tricolor and a little tablet bearing the following inscription:

Sous Lieut. Galland,
Theodore,
174th Infantry,
5th Coy.
Mort pur la France.

And over my friend's son's grave was a cross made of the blades of the propeller of his machine, to which was affixed the American colors and a small aluminium plate bearing the following inscription:

Lieutenant ——
Pilot
1st Aero Squadron.
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August 1, 1918.

We took a number of pictures, but the real impression I brought home was that given in a conversation with the caretaker and his wife and daughter.

As we were leaving they asked us to step into their cottage for a few minutes' visit. I thought it was a simple act of courtesy with no other object. My companion, however, who had been an officer in the French Army, after a few minutes' conversation with them drew me one side and asked if this boy was a relative of mine. I explained that he was the son of a warm friend. He then went on to say that these good people were alarmed by my visit, fearing that it evidenced an intention to disinter the boy's body and take it home. They then told me that this little graveyard had been laid out by the peasants in the village; that every scrap of the work had been done by them on Sundays; the grass had been planted and cut, the walks had been built, the box planted and the flowers had been planted and cultivated by these people, who found this the only means of expressing their appreciation of what our boys had done for France and their affection for the country from which they came. They explained that to the French a grave is sacred. They regard the graves of these American boys as a sacred trust: they want to keep them there, and they will be grievously hurt and disappointed if the bodies are brought home.

My own son was two years in France and fortunately is safely home. Parents may view this subject differently, but after my own experience I believe as between the satisfaction of having a son who had given his life for his country in France, buried in his own soil or left in France, I should instantly decide that my greatest satisfaction and happiness would be to have his grave serve as one of those ties which perpetuate and immortalise international friendships.

School Of Forty-Six Nations

BY H. H. RAILEY

Representatives of forty-six nations, from Iceland to Argentina, including, for example, a German soldier who served throughout the world War as a non-commissioned officer in the 25th Prussian Guards, and a former Italian Lieutenant, whose nine decorations include the Arditto Medal for conspicuous bravery during the earthquake at Messina in 1914, are now being trained as citizens and soldiers of the United States in the Army Recruit Educational Center at Camp Upton, L. I. Men who in Europe today would be fighting each other sleep side by side in the barracks of this remarkable missionary enterprise in Americanisation.

Colonel Berard Lentz, United States Army, of the General Staff, originated the idea. It was he who planned the development Battalions of the National Army, in which more than two hundred and fifty thousand men were either educated or rehabilitated physically during the war. Major Louis T. Byrne, United States Army, is the commanding officer of the center, the director of education, Captain Garry C. Meyers, United States Army, being in immediate charge of the school.

Of the 1,500 students, only 50 percent are native born Americans, and the majority of these are, or were, illiterates; Russians, Poles, Italians, Turks, Assyrians, Bulgarians, Austrians, Germans, Spaniards and Persians are included. Twenty-five civilian experts, supervised by an experienced educator and psychologist, are retained as instructors. Bald-headed men of forty-five years or more sit here and there in the various class rooms, often with a boy of eighteen alongside, and so successful has been the effort to inculcate in both an ardent desire to learn that they seem to have completely forgot that, mentally, they are children.

SOME OF THE METHODS

In the construction of the course of study a very successful attempt has been made to take account of the human appeal around the main project, "a letter home in the man's own hand and composition at the end of two weeks." Account is also taken of the seeming fact that all suggestions of proper habits, duties and virtues are most effective when camouflaged, particularly when the learner unwittingly becomes the teacher of those duties and ideals which it is desired he shall get. For instance, the recruit, instead of being told that he ought to brush his teeth, sleep with his windows open, keep his uniform clean and neat, honor the great men of his country and reverence the flag, tells these things to his chum at home in the letters he constructs in class and later mails to him. Thus he becomes the teacher and the preacher, and he takes great pride in his work.

The enthusiasm in this class is contagious, although it is made up of men who were not only discouraged themselves but actually were knockers of the school and the army. Of course there are days when their morale ebbs, when, consequently, they make little progress, but ordinarily their enthusiasm is the more contagious when the successful one assures the other that he can progress in spite of his long conviction to the contrary. A singular fact about these men is that they uniformly state that their teachers in the school of civil life used to tell them they could never learn. In the Recruit Educational Center, not only does the instructor never tell the student, however low his mentality, that he cannot learn, but he considers it the largest part of his job to convince him that he can learn and tries to make him increasingly anxious to do so. The method is secondary. The will is first. It is the psychology of salesmanship supported by the psychology of suggestion.

When the recruit arrives at the Center he is quarantined for fifteen days, during which times he receives instruction in practical hygiene, is fitted out, drilled and taught elementary physical exercises. During this period a psychological test is given, after which he is classified on the basis of his illiteracy, as to grades, and then within the grades on the basis of his intelligence rating. If, for example, sixty such men came in, they would be distributed in four sections of fifteen each. The quarter of these students receiving the highest mental rating will make up the first section. The quarter representing the lowest intelligence rating will make up the lowest section, and the remaining quarters in like proportion. Now, when the men from the best section are promoted, they go to the best section of the second grade, and so on the third, fourth and last grades. By this method the bright men are advanced four times as rapidly as the men of the duller sections, thus giving due opportunity to the intelligent men and their somewhat handicapped competitors.

It is interesting to note that harmony reigns between the native-born Americans and the variegated assortment of alien citizens. In many cases, perhaps in the majority, the foreigner has out-stripped the American, for he, as a rule, can read and write two or three languages, while his fellow student, the American illiterate, cannot even read or write English. Therefore, it is not an uncommon sight to see a foreigner, whose entire knowledge of English was gained in the Recruit Educational Center, to which he was assigned immediately following his enlistment, commanding a company in the field. Many of these men are efficient, enthusiastic non-commissioned officers.

Revolt!

I am Revolt!
Behold me!
My breath is miasma,
My hands are red.
I speak of Love,
But I love nothing save myself.
All else I hit.
I speak of Brotherhood,
But I do not believe.
I am an Individualist—
For one individual—
Myself.

I am Revolt!
I shall dethrone your God.
I do not believe in Him;
Nevertheless, I shall dethrone
Him.
I shall pull down the mighty.
The strong, the brave, the intelligent
Have ruled long enough.
Now shall the weak, the poor,
the ignorant
Rule the world.
For that is Progress!
I shall take all the wealth,
I shall eat of the finest foods,
I shall drink the rarest wines,
And the fair white women of the
rich
Shall be mine.

I am Revolt!
I preach Peace,
But I bring Hatred,
And the Torch, and the Sword.
I shall destroy—destroy!
For that is Progress.
I am a better man than you,
Because I work with my hands.
When I shall have conquered,
I shall not work with my hands.
But I shall still be a better man
than you.
Behold me!
I am Revolt!

ANNE PEACOCK.
In *N. Y. Times.*

The Soldier Addresses His Body

(From The London Mercury)

I shall be mad if you get smashed
about,
We've had good times together,
you and I;
Although you groused a bit when
luck was out
And women passionless, and we
went dry.

Yet there are many things we have
not done;
Countries not seen, where people
do strange things,
Eat fish alive, and mimic in the sun
The solemn gestures of their
stone-gray kings.

I've heard of forests that are dim
at noon,
Where snakes and creepers
wrestle all day long;
Where vivid beasts grow pale with
the full moon,
Gibber and cry, and wail a mad
old song;

Because at the full moon the
hippogriff feet,
With ivory-pointed snout and
agate feet,
With his green eye will glare them
cold and stiff
For the coward wyvern come
down and eat.

Vodka and kvas, and bitter mountain wines
We have not drunk, nor snatched
at bursting grapes;
To pelt slim girls among Sicilian
vines
Who'd flicker through the leaves,
elusive shapes.

Yes, there are many things we have
not done,
But it's a sweat to knock them
into rhyme.
Let's have a drink, and give the
cards a run
And leave dull verse to the dull,
peaceful time.

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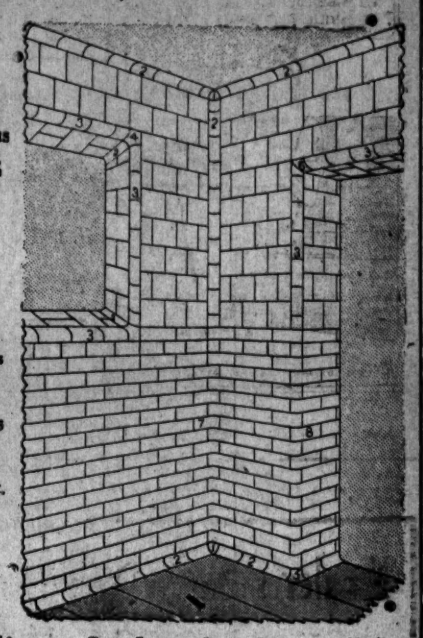

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BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

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Those shells, wasted, will never kill anybody. They were on their way to the scrap heap, evidently.

It will be a blessed day for the world when every shell, sword, cannon, rifle and revolver shall have gone to the scrap heap to stay, with the "iron virgin," the thumb screw and the rack.

We are not ready for that quite yet. The world contains many millions of human beings that can be kept from killing only by the fear of being killed, as it contains millions that can be kept from sin only by fear of being burned alive hereafter. You must retain ammunition factories and believe in hell fire a while longer.

When your baby cries, chews his hands, has swollen gums, you do not worry, wish you were dead. The little white tooth is coming through.

Labor is the baby now, ignorant old mamma Capital worries, fearing Bolshevism or some other terrible disease. It is only the fifty-cent dollar coming through.

Your dollars are worth fifty cents, lucky for the poor if a dollar will buy as much as fifty cents worth. Where you paid a man one dollar you must now pay him two. That is the real cause of the trouble. The real standard of value is not the dollar, but the day's work of the average man.

Formerly you could buy a sheep for four shillings. Then a dollar was worth twenty dollars of to-day. The dollar value is always changing inevitably. Science and machinery constantly increase the value amount of wealth that a day's labor can produce. Selfishness, in the form of organised cunning and intelligence, strives to get all of the increased product of labor for itself, and succeeds pretty well ordinarily. But war shakes things up every little while, and the dollar is readjusted. In this latest shake-up the dollar has had one-half of its value shaken out. That is all.

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Consumption in the United States has increased by two thousand million pounds a year. We need one-quarter of all the sugar the world produces. And we have less than one sixteenth of the world's total population. We want four times our natural share of the world's sugar. To get it we shall pay high for it, especially with profiteers helping.

You wonder where your money goes. One cent of it goes to Europe daily. Kahn, head of the military committee, says it costs one million and a quarter a day to keep our army across the water. That is a little more than $3.65 a year for every United States man, woman and child. You may say, "What do I care about $3.65; it will only buy a quarter of a pair of shoes, anyhow." True, but thank your stars the Peace League did not go through. With that League it might easily cost you one hundred times $3.65 to obey in Europe.

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Asia and Africa the orders of foreign nations.

Mrs. Reik, requesting divorce, alleges that the Colonel, her husband, much changed, takes a cold view of married life since he went to Europe. He "likes the ideas of the French and the upper class English."

The marital morality of "upper class" Englishmen and other upper classes, so called, may leave something to be desired. But French daily life is a model for all nations, not excepting this one. No families are more closely united than French families, no husbands and wives more devoted, inspired with respect for each other, than French husbands and wives.

The trouble is that some Americans, colonels, editors and others, get their ideas of French life from disreputable resorts to which "speak English" guides conduct them. Those resorts are maintained for English and American visitors, by American and English money. They have nothing to do with French life. It is as though a Frenchman here should form his opinions of our moral character at a dog fight, and his views of our business ethics by studying the "Stutz corner."

Nothing is more beautiful than innocence. Well meaning ladies in New York are going to open one hundred saloons "without alcohol" to make the workmen happy.

They will serve tea, nut sundaes, and cake.

The Englishman's Home

(*New York Times*)

Despatches from London would have us believe that a speech by Lady Astor was largely responsible for the rejection by the House of Commons of the Divorce Reform bill. Let no one think that she is hostile to change; existing inequalities and injustices in the divorce laws ought to be removed, but the Reform bill, which embodied the majority report of the Royal Commission, ought to be allowed to wait "until the strain of war was past and the world was a little more settled."

One might think from this that the idea of divorce reform in Great Britain was something new. As a matter of fact, the report of Royal Commission has been before the public for eight years, and the agitation which led to the investigation naturally goes back long before that. The bill made habitual cruelty, insanity, drunkenness and desertion for a term of years grounds for divorce; it also removed the existing inequality by which a husband can get a divorce on grounds which are not sufficient for a wife, and it simplified and made less expensive the elaborate court procedure which has made divorce in England very expensive. There was a strong religious opposition, of course; but Lady Astor seems to have spoken for no religious reason, but as the representative of a class. "She did not think that in America, where divorce was easier than in England, it had always been for the good of women." The despatches do not tell us whether her enthusiasm for the removal of existing inequalities is confined to the emancipation of woman, or extends to the alteration of those regulations which have made divorce in effect a luxury of the upper classes.

However, she triumphed, and on a moral issue. Her first speech was made on a moral issue, prohibition, and it alarmed the devil's cohorts. Now, after going her best to make the public house desolate, she steps forward to defend the sanctity of the home. It is a great and noble work, but the ancient British fibre must have suffered a serious deterioration if the preservation of the nation's morality has to be left to a lady from Virginia.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., and Europe	*Venezuela	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Novara	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	¥1.00	..	..	..	..	¥1.00
Moji, Yokohama Canada, U. S. A. and Europe via Canada	Yawata Maru	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
Japan & America via Moji	do	..	..	..	..	$20.00	19.30
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Stow, H'kong & C'ton	Chenan	¥1.00	..	..	..	..	¥1.00
Swatow and Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Java Ports	Tjilwong	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Japan Ports	Yawata Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Hankow	Tuckwo	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong and Canton	Hsintah	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train			..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Fengtien	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Fengtien	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Manila direct	E. of Asia	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
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Manila and Hongkong	E. of Asia	..	16.00	..	..	..	..
H'kong, Straits, India and E'pe, via Suez	Africa	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Hangsang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow & Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Kobe	Inaba M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Japan via Kobe	do	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Sunday, May 23							
N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama, H'lulu, Canada, U. S. A. & Europe	Venezuela			¢9.00			
Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A. and Europe via U. S. A.	do	..	¤11.00				
Japan, U. S. A. Canada & Europe	do	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Sado M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Novara	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	do	..	∧11.00				
Monday, May 24							
Hongkong and Canton	Sulyang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tuesday, May 25							
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	Tungchow	..	14.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	do	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
Japan Ports	Omi Maru	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Sunday, May 30							
France, etc.	†Cordillere	..	..	..	..	..	..

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For Southern Ports

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NINGPO.—The Str. **Kiangteen**, Captain D. D. Ross, will leave on Saturday at 2:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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MANILA & HONGKONG.—The R.M.S. **Empress of Asia**, will leave Woosung on **Saturday, May 22**, Tender **Alexandra**, will leave the Municipal jetty at 5 p.m. For further particulars apply to G. M. Jackson, General Agent, Passenger Department, Palace Hotel Building, 19a, Bund. Tel. Central 182. N. Lees Smith, Actg. Agent, Corner of Peking and Yuen-Ming-Yuen Roads. Tel. Central 181.

HONGKONG.—The Str. **Chicago Maru**, Captain S. Yamane, will be wharf on **May 24**. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 and 4235.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Suiyang**, Captain J. Gibbs, will leave from the Watung Wharf direct for the above ports on **Tuesday, May 25**, at daylight For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.—The Str. **Kohoku Maru**, Capt. M. Tsubaki, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **May 28**, at ——— For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

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ANTUNG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Kweilin**, Captain A. McDowell, will leave on **Saturday, May 22**, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

NEWCHANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steaer **Foochow** Captain C.H. Mochan will leave on **Saturday, May 22**, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agent Tel. No. 77.

NEWCHWANG.—The Steamer **Toonan**, Capt. H. M. Sorensen, will leave on **Saturday** morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. CO.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Tean**, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the Watung Wharf on **Saturday, May 22**, at daylight For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien**, Captain McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, May 22**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the S.S. **Kwangping** on **May 24**. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co's Steaer **Tungchow** Captain Harris, will leave from the French Bund on **Tuesday, May 25**, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The Steamer **Keelung Maru**, Capt. N. Kamizawa, will se despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **May 26**. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Nos. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

VLADIVOSTOK Direct.—The Str. **Shih Yue**, will be despatched for Vladivostok direct on or about **June 1**. For Freight or Passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund. (Telephone Nos. Central 4702 and 3059).

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
May 22	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
May 25	—	New York, Boston	Radnor	Am.	Adl. Line
May 25	—	San Francisco	West Cahokia	Am.	S. & Dix
May 26	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 29	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 30	—	New York, Boston	Satsuma	Am.	Adl. Line
May 30	—	New York	Lima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 30	—	Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix
May 30	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 30	—	Seattle	†Kashima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 31	—	New York	Eurymachus	Br.	B. & S.
May 31	—	New York	Howick Hall	Br.	B. & S.
June 1	—	Portland	Wawalona	Am.	Adl. Line
June 1	—	Baltimore via Suez	West Conob	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
June 2	—	Seattle	Edmore	Am.	Adl. Line
June 2	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
June 4	—	New Orleans	Eurana	Am.	S. & Dix
June 4	—	Baltimore	West Moreland	Am.	S. & Dix
June 5	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 5	—	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co
June 9	—	New Orleans	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix
June 10	—	San Francisco	West Himrod	Am.	S. & Dix
June 10	—	Portland	West Navaria	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 10	—	New York	Wytheville	Am.	Adl. Line
June 12	—	Vancouver	†Mongteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 15	—	Seattle	Stanley	Am.	A. T. Co.
June 17	—	Vancouver, N. Y.	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 19	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 19	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 20	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
June 20	—	Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 22	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 23	—	San Francisco	E. Merchant	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 25	—	Baltimore via Suez	Elkridge	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 30	—	New York	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
July 4	—	Baltimore v. P'ama	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix.
July 12	—	Seattle	Maonan	Am.	A. T. Co.
July 12	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.N. Co
July 17	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 31	—	Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

May 22	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 23	—	Kobe	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 26	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 27	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 29	—	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 1	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 2	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 4	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kokura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

May 23	—	London	†Novara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 23	—	Trieste	Africa	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
May 23	—	M'lles, Liverpool	Kamakura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 24	—	Liverpool	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	—	London	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May 24	—	London, etc.	†Sado Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 25	—	Singapore	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 27	—	Marseillits, etc.	Peiho	Fr.	M. M. Cie
May 27	—	L'don, A'dam, A'werp	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
May 30	—	London, etc.	†Deita	Br.	M.M. & Co.
May 30	—	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
June 3	—	L'don, A'dam, H'burg	Neleus	Br.	B. & S.
June 6	—	Scandinavia	Asia	Dan.	E. A. Co.
June 6	—	London, etc.	†Nellore	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June 7	—	London	†Kitano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 7	—	Hamburg, etc.	Toyopka Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 9	—	Scandinavia	Siam	Dan.	E.A. Co.
June 10	—	Liverpool, etc.	Tokiwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 10	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsushima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 13	—	Liverpool	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 15	—	Amsterdam, H'burg	Batjan	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
June 17	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
June 30	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 1	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
July 1	—	Genoa, M'ilts, L'pool	Talthybius	Br.	B. & S.
July 8	—	Havre, Liverpool	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
July 11	—	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 15	—	L., A'dam, A'wirp	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
July 22	—	Genoa, Liverpool	Demodocus	Br.	B. & S.
Aug. 19	—	Liverpool, etc.	Bellerophon	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

May 21	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
May 21	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
May 21	11.00*	Hongkong, Canton	Hsintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 22	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May 22	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 22	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	Br.	B. & S.
May 23	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co
May 24	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 24	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 25	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 25	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Suiyang Maru	Br.	B. & S.
May 29	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 30	—	Manila, Hongkong	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

May 22	1.00	Antung	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	1.00	Newchwang	Foochow	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	—	Newchwang	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 22	D.L.	Tsingtao	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	4.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
May 24	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
May 25	4.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
May 25	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiyang	Jap.	N. K. K.
May 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
May 23	D.L.	Wuhu	Loksang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
May 25	D.L.	Pukow	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
May 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Talee Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
May 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
May 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
May 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.

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FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 6 and 7 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
1h. 58m.	10ft. 2in.	2h. 21m.	8ft. 0in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides),
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
0	59	1	23

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
7 57 p.m.	9 56 p.m.	5h. 3m.	6h. 50m.	4h. 18m.	7h. 35m.

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MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
2 C.	May 17	Elcano	Am. gun-boat
U.S.N.B.	Apr. 17	Gen. Alava	Am. gun-boat
P. & O.B.I.	May 14	Gnat	Br. gun-boat
L.B.	May 17	Helena	Am. gun-boat
B.N.B.	Mar. 26	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
S.O.C.W.	May 17	Quiros	Am. gun-boat
1 C.	May 18	Saga	Jap. gun-boat
B. VIII	May 17	Suma	Jap. gun-boat
O.D.W.	May 2	Teal	Br. gun-boat
1 C.	May 18	Uji	Jap. gun-boat
1 C.	May 17	Villalobos	Am. gun-boat
2 C.	May 16	Wilmington	Am. gun-boat

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S.S. "JAPAN" 25th May

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*HAVRE MARU ...	15,000		June 11	June 13

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AFRICA MARU	18,000	H. Yamamoto,	June 5	June 7

FOR HONGKONG.

CHICAGO MARU ...	18,000	S. Yamane,	May 23	May 24

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS (Tsingtao, and Dairen).

KEELUNG MARU ...	3,000	N. Kamizawa,	May 24	May 26

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KOHOKU MARU	5,000	M. Tsubaki,	May 26	May 28

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Shipping Items

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Tsingtau for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangtoo left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Fengyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Foochow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Yushun left Tientsin for Chefoo, Lungkow and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The M.M. s.s. Porthos, with the French mails of April 15, arrived at Hongkong yesterday and in Shanghai on Monday May 24.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Talee Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kwanglee left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Nanyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangchi left Hinghwa for Wenchow and ports yesterday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinsei Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Satsuki Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Teiresias from Liverpool, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The M.M. s.s. Peiho will sail from Shanghai for Marseilles, Havre and Antwerp via Haiphong and Saigon on Thursday, May 27.

The P.M. s.s. Venezuela left Hongkong for Shanghai early Wednesday morning and is due to arrive at the China Marchants' Lower Wharf early tomorrow morning. The Venezuela sails for Japan ports, Honolulu and San Francisco Sunday at noon.

The P. and O. s.s. Delta from London, left Hongkong at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and is expected to arrive in Shanghai this morning.

Per P. and O. s.s. Nellore from London, left Hongkong at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The B.I. s.s. Japan from Calcutta, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Yohyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Pukow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Chefoo for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru left Moji yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow. The Sado sails for London and ports at daylight Monday and the tender with passengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru will leave Moji for Shanghai today and is due to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf on Sunday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Inaba Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London and ports on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telemon is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Liverpool and ports on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Idomeneus from Liverpool, left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. S. s.s. Itola is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Bombay, Straits and Hongkong on Tuesday, May 25.

The P. and O. s.s. Novara left Kobe at 11 o'clock Tuesday night and is due in Shanghai this afternoon. The Novara sails for London and ports on Sunday and the tender Gutzlaff with passengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty Sunday at noon.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara is expected to leave Bombay for Straits, Hongkong and Shanghai on June 6.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, from Vancouver, left Nagasaki yesterday and is due at Woosung at 4 o'clock tomorrow morning. The tender Alexandra with inbound passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty at 9:30 o'clock. The Empress sails for Manila and Hongkong at midnight tomorrow and the outgoing passenger tender will leave at five o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kashima Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Wednesday.

Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender Alexandra conveying passengers and mails on board the C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m.

Sunday, May 23, 1920

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and mails on board the P. and O. s.s. Novara will leave the Customs jetty at 12 noon.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m.

Monday, May 24, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 3:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 30, 1920

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Cordillere will leave the M.M. Jetty (French Bund) at 9 a.m.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangteen from Ningpo: Mr. Barnett.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Messrs. J.C. Fitzpatrick, J.A. Massel, A. Weginer, Wormald.

Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin from Hankow: Mrs. and Mrs. Leonards and 5 children, Miss Schwartz, Mr. O'Halloran.

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Dec.	3 —	Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.	
Dec.	4 —	River ports	Lingyun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	6 —	Chinwangtao	Indigirka		
Dec.	16 —	Hankow	Meitan	Am.	Socony.
Dec.	25 —		Kanling	Chi.	
Dec.	25 —		Newchow		
Jan.	15 —		Meihu	Am.	Socony.
Jan.	21 —	Japan	Kifune Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Mar.	19 —	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap.	Kaiyosha
Mar.	22 —	———	Chienan	Chi.	W. & Co.
Apr.	14 —	.....	Palembang	Br.	A.P. Co.
Apr.	16 —	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr.	29 —	Hankow, etc.	Kuling	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	5 —	Cruise	Pingching	Chi.	Customs
May	8 —	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R.V.F.
May	11 —	Antung	Unda	Br.	A. P. Co.
May	12 —	Hongkong	Tjiliwong	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.
May	12 —	Japan	Naotetsu Maru	Jap.	
May	15 —	Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
May	17 —	Hongkong	Haintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May	17 —	Hongkong	Edmore	Am.	Adl. Line
May	17 —	Japan	Telemachus	Br.	B. & S.
May	17 —	Saigon	Peiho	Fr.	M.M. Cie
May	17 —	Cruise	Chuentiao	Chi.	Customs
May	18 —	Chefoo	Mingshun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	18 —	New York	Persian Prince	Br.	S. Tomes & Co.
May	18 —	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	18 —	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
May	19 —	Chinwangtao	Uraga Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.
May	19 —	Hongkong	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May	19 —	Japan	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May	19 —	Japan	Tokei Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	19 —	Japan	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May	19 —	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	19 —	Hankow, etc.	Meinan	Am.	Socony.
May	19 —	Tientsin, etc.	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May	19 —		Tungshing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	19 —	Swatow	Kiukiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	20 —		Simferopol	Br.	
May	20 —		Tasclausa	Br.	A. P. Co.
May	20 —	Dairen	Shawhsing	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Hongkong	Shenchou	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Japan	Yeiko Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May	20 —	Hongkong	West Cadron	Am.	Dollar Co.
May	20 —	Hongkong	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May	20 —	London, etc.	Professor	Br.	G.L.E.A.

Departures

Date		For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
May	19 —	Vladivostok	Shinyue	Chi.	L. V. Lang
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Ningchao	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
May	20 —	Cruise	Likin	Chi.	Customs
May	20 —	Japan	Misaki M. 2	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	20 —	Manila, Hongkong	West Himrod	Am.	Adl. Line
May	20 —	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S
May	20 —	Vladivostok	Hanamet	Rus.	Wm. Katz
May	20 —	Tsingtao	Hopsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	20 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	20 —	W. C'foo, T'sin	Koonshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	20 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

Arrivals

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
May	19 —		Tungshing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
May	19 —	Swatow	Kiukiang	Br.	B. & S.
May	20 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May	20 —		Simferopol	Br.	
May	20 —		Tasclausa	Br.	A.P. Co.
May	20 —	Dairen	Shawhsing	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May	20 —	Hongkong	Shenchou	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
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May	20 —	Hongkong	Hangsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
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May	20 —	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
May	20 —	London, etc.	Professor	Br.	G. L. E. A.

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco

Broad Arrow	Apr.	21
Colombia	Apr.	25
West Elcajon	Apr.	27
West Nigor	Apr.	30
Acme	May	1
West Wind	May	4
Korea Maru	May	6

For Tacoma

Manila Maru	Apr.	30
Javary	May	10
Justin	May	18

For Seattle

Suwa Maru	May	6
Toyohashi Maru	May	14

For Portland

Coaxet	May	18

For Vancouver

Harold Dollar	Apr.	27
E. of Russia	May	9
Bessie Dollar	May	17

For New York

Charlton Hall	Apr.	22
Luceric	Apr.	23
Genoa Maru	Apr.	20
C. of Colombo	May	9
Tsuyama Maru	May	11

For London etc.

Yokohama Maru	Apr.	21
City of Norwich	Apr.	22
Mentor	Apr.	22
Gleniffer	Apr.	25
Tamba Maru	Apr.	26
Havana Maru	May	1
Nore	May	8
Tydeus	May	15
Mishima Maru	May	18

For Liverpool

Ajax	May	2

For Copenhagen

Siam	Apr.	25
Asia	May	9
Peru	May	16

For Hamburg

Capetown Maru	Apr.	29

For Marseilles

Andre Lebon	Apr.	23
Sierra Ventana	Apr.	27
Armand Behic	May	9

For Genoa

Wakasa Maru	May	3

For Trieste

Innsbruck	Apr.	22

For Bombay

Dunera	May	11

For Calcutta

Muttra	Apr.	30
Takada	May	11
Arratoon Apcar	May	18

For Australia

Tuscan Prince	May	6
Kidderpore	May	15

Vessels Loading

For Foreign Ports

NEW YORK, JAPAN PORTS SAN FRANCISCO PANAMA and NEW YORK.—The Str. Alaska Maru, Captain W. Miura, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about June 1, at ——— For Freight please apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 4, The Bund. Telphone Central No. 4234 & 4235.

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Vessels Due

China, *Hongkong*	May 26
Choysang, *Hongkong*	May 22
Chungking, *Hankow*	May 24
Chikugo Maru, *Japan*	May 26
Cordillere, *Japan*	May 28
Delta, *London*	May 21
Denel, *Seattle*	May 25
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	May 22
Ecuador, *S. Francisco*	May 28
Feiching, *Foochow*	May 22
Fushimi Maru, *Seattle*	May 29
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	May 21
Hsinfung, *Hankow*	May 21
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	May 22
Hwahta, *Hankow*	May 27
Idomeneus, *Liverpool*	May 22
Inaba Maru, *London*	May 23
Itola, *Bombay*	May 25
Japan, *Calcutta*	May 24
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	May 22
Kiangtoo, *Hankow*	May 22
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	May 25
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	May 24
Kwanglee, *Hongkong*	May 21
Kasuga Maru, *Japan*	May 25
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	May 28
Loongwo, *Hankow*	May 23
Luenho, *Hankow*	May 26
Luenyi, *Hankow*	May 27
Monteagle, *Vancouver*	May 22
Nanking, *S. Francisco*	May 24
Ningshin, *Foochow*	May 22
Nellore, *London*	May 22
Nile, *S. Francisco*	May 25
Novara, *Japan*	May 21
Omi Maru, *Japan*	May 23
Porthos, *Marseilles*	May 24
Poyang, *Hankow*	May 26
Sado Maru, *Japan*	May 22
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	May 24
Shantung, *Hongkong*	May 22
Shengking, *Hankow*	May 22
Suiwo, *Rankow*	May 27
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	May 26
Sunning, *Hongkong*	May 24
Tatung, *Hankow*	May 23
Teiresias, *Liverpool*	May 23
Telamon, *Liverpool*	May 22
Toonan, *Newchwang*	May 21
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	May 23
Venezuela, *Hongkong*	May 22
Woosung, *Hankow*	May 21
Wuchang, *Hankow*	May 28
Yingchow, *Hongkong*	May 27
Yushun, *Tientsin*	May 21

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Koonshing for Weihaiwei: Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Brooke Smith; for Tientsin: Messrs. P.V. Jackson, Begeh, G. Craigie Ross.

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. R. Wolcott and child, Messrs. H. Fasting, A. Munk.

Per C.N. s.s. Wuchang for Chinkiang: Mr. Modenham.

Per C.N. s.s. Sinkiang for Amoy: Mr. Milligan; for Hongkong: Capt. Robertson, Capt Laver, Capt. Edwards, Messrs. Barrett, Dunmmomd, Stuard Deas.

Siccawei Weather Reports

19.—New oscillation eastwards of the anticyclone on the Yellow sea; decrease of pressure in Mongolia. The breeze is mostly from S. on the coast of Annam, from N.E. in the Formosa Strait and from S.E. in the North. Fine morning in China and at Formosa; it becomes overcast in the evening.

20.—Weather very cloudy but rather fine and cool. The pressure is falling more decidedly below the average and the S.E. breeze freshening. Rain begins at 8 a.m.

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SATURDAY, May 22nd.—Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries in Salesroom at 10 a.m.

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Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night"

1st performance 9 p.m. sharp, Saturday, May 22nd, 1920.
2nd performance 3 p.m. sharp, Monday, May 24th, 1920.
3rd performance 9 p.m. sharp, Tuesday, May 25th, 1920.
4th performance 9 p.m. sharp, Wednesday, May 26th, 1920.

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Arrest 'Count' For Many Gem Thefts

Paris Police Accuse Spaniard Of Hotel Robberies On Big Scale

Paris, March 27.—A South of France mystery of vanished gems has just been solved in Paris by the arrest in this city of "Count Justino de Lopez," who posed as the head of Portuguese aviation in Africa. After his arrest he confessed that he was a Spaniard named Lopez and said he was born in Vigo in 1892.

At Bordeaux a man who posed as Count Justino de Lopez was charged with having stolen jewels and valuables worth several thousand dollars toward the end of last year. After his arrival in Bordeaux he engaged an entire floor at one of the principal hotels, stating that he expected his luggage to arrive in a day or two. After three days he decamped, taking with him jewels and valuables belonging to guests of the hotel. Similar thefts were committed in Marseilles, Lyons, Bourg and other cities. Encouraged by his success there the "Count" came to Paris, where he met his Waterloo.

He stopped at a leading hotel in this city, stating that he was an agent of the Portuguese Government and was in Paris to buy airplanes. Under this cover he began to rob guests at the hotel. The police charge that he is guilty of stealing jewels and other valuables here, in Bordeaux, Marseilles, Lyons and other cities of France.

While in Paris the "Count" took his meals at the best restaurants and spent money freely. He always paid his bills in checks on the Bank of France, the check book, it was alleged, having been stolen by him in Marseilles. A woman who accompanied him charged that he had stolen her jewels.

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